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# Drinks in Hotel Lounges, Restaurants, New Beer Pub System Are Proposed

## Children Found Dead in Park, There 3 Years

'Babes in Woods' Both Boys;  
No 'Missing' Report to Police

VANCOUVER (CP) — The "Babes in the Woods" who died in Vancouver's Stanley Park were both boys, police scientists reported today.

## CPR Confirms Port Angeles Ferry Service

VANCOUVER — The B.C. Coast Steamships will provide a twice daily service between Victoria and Port Angeles during the coming summer and will increase its sailings between Vancouver and Nanaimo to six round trips daily beginning April 26, it was announced today by William Manson, vice-president of the CPR Pacific region.

He said service on the Gulf Island run would be extended to include a call at Sidney on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday by the Princess Elaine, beginning April 26 until Sept. 26.

## TRIP TO STAY

He also emphasized that the Vancouver-Victoria-Seattle daily service would be continued. This was in reply to earlier outside reports and the CPR was discontinuing its "triangle" service after many years.

In addition to her Gulf Island run, the Elaine will provide service between Vancouver, Powell River and Babine Bay on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. The ship will leave Vancouver on Sunday nights after its return from the Gulf Island circuit. This service is effective April 26 until Sept. 26.

The Princess Louise will re-enter Alaska service from Vancouver April 15 and every 10 days thereafter, on Wednesday or Saturday until Nov. 11.

## NEW DOCK

He said a new dock was being built at Port Angeles and parking facilities will be provided there to handle heavy automobile traffic.

The Princess Patricia and Princess Marguerite will continue to operate in the fast day, light service between Vancouver and Seattle. The Princess Joan and the Princess Elizabeth, besides providing overnight service between Vancouver and Victoria, will make the Victoria-Port Angeles run and alternate in two daily trips between Vancouver and Nanaimo.

## 'CLUB OR PUB, BUB?'

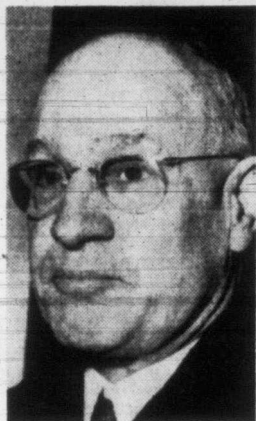
## Mr. Hops Explains to Mr. Malt

Mr. Hops today explained to Mr. Malt the recommendations of British Columbia's liquor inquiry commission in such manner:

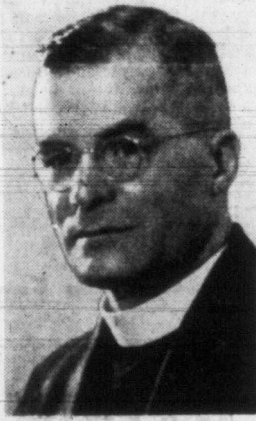
Mr. Malt: "Now let's suppose I want a drink under this new system. Where do I go?"  
Mr. Hops: "Well, what kind of drink?"  
Mr. Malt: "Gin."  
Mr. Hops: "You can go to a

beverage lounge in that class A hotel or . . .  
Mr. Malt: "Class A hotel?"  
Mr. Hops: "That's one with a beverage lounge. Class Bs just have beer parlors."  
Mr. Malt: "Okay. Now where else?"  
Mr. Hops: "A restaurant, a night club, a private club . . ."  
Mr. Malt: "What's that?"  
Mr. Hops: "Well, you can be

## COMMISSION MEMBERS



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## Tear Gas Prevents Kojie Island Riot

PUSAN, Korea (AP) — South Korean guards using tear gas quickly broke up a demonstration by 74 North Korean Communist prisoners of war on Kojie Island Tuesday. The Allied PW command said today there were no injuries, the army said.

## Report Hits Brewery Control Of Outlets

Evidence Quoted On Loan Figures

Nearly one-third of the text of the Stevens Report on liquor is devoted to the problems of indirect control of retail liquor outlets by brewers and distillers and the "ever-narrowing control" of the brewery industry by powerful financial interests.

The report said financial statements filed with the inquiry commission by the brewers and distillers showed that these companies, whose chief function is production, held direct control over numerous hotels and beer parlors.

"This method of control was held chiefly in the form of guaranteed loans made by the banks. Usually these so-called loans were far in excess of anything warranted by the physical security attached to them. Indeed, it was admitted quite frankly that no other loaning authority would grant such loans," the report said.

The report quoted at length evidence given by brewery officials concerning the balance sheet of Western Canada Breweries Ltd., and other factors concerning Vancouver Breweries Ltd., the former's operating company in Vancouver.

**\$519,000 LOANED**  
Summarizing, the report said: "This shows that the Vancouver Breweries are guarantors to the extent of \$519,000 for loans in various amounts to hotels and beer parlors throughout the province."

Later in the report after listing further evidence during the examination regarding Sick's Breweries Ltd. and loans to retail outlets, the commission states:

"Briefly, it is admitted that the amount of \$800,000 would probably represent the loans which Coast Breweries have guaranteed on behalf of hotels and beer parlors throughout B.C."

**'ABSOLUTE CONTROL'**  
"From this evidence, given under oath, it is clearly demonstrated that the local brewers exercise absolute control over numerous retail outlets."

"The report then listed 62 hotels which have received loans from breweries ranging as high as \$60,000."

"The commission noted that this practice is prohibited in many states in the United States and some provinces in Canada, and says it should be prohibited in B.C."

"It recommended that anybody connected with a brewery or distillery must divorce himself from all financial and material interest in any retail outlets within one year of the enactment of new liquor legislation in B.C."

The commission said the practice is not in the public interest.

"In B.C. this financial interest of brewers and distillers in the retail outlets for beer is notoriously prevalent. Where such loans have been made, it invariably follows that the licensee so benefited sells only the draught beer of his benefactor."

"There is reason to believe that the financial interest of the brewer or distiller in a license has played no small part during many years past in the phenomenal prices at which these licenses have changed hands."

"A license ought to have no asset value. It is a permit by the government to engage in a certain prescribed type of business. Any advantages and benefits resulting purely from the monopolistic character of the business should accrue to the public."

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## HIGHLIGHTS

Here are the main proposals of the Stevens Report for a new system of selling liquor and beer by the glass in British Columbia.

- Hotels doing 80 per cent or more transient business would be allowed to serve drinks, including beer and wine, with meals, in special "beverage lounges" and in guest rooms.
- Hotels doing 50 per cent or more transient business would be allowed to serve drinks with meals and in guest rooms, but not to have beverage lounges.
- Each class of hotel, described as Class A and Class B, to be allowed separate beer parlors.
- The present beer parlor system to be replaced by "public houses" not necessarily connected with hotels, in which simple foods like sandwiches, soft drinks, coffee and similar items would be sold as well as beer.
- Public houses would be allowed entertainment such as radio and gramophone, but no floor shows.
- A limited number of restaurants would get liquor licenses, but not separate bars.
- Cabarets and night clubs would get drinks by the glass privileges but only in areas that can be properly supervised.
- Holiday resorts would get drink-serving privileges, but not motels or auto courts.
- Steamships would be allowed drinks sale privileges with meals, and in lounges; railways in dining cars.
- Cocktail lounges, as separate units apart from hotels, rejected.
- "Proprietary" clubs—those operated for private profit—not to have licenses, but membership clubs and veterans' clubs to be allowed licenses if they provide dining service.
- All existing beer parlor licenses and proprietary club licenses to be cancelled within six months of enactment of the new legislation, and fresh applications made under the new system.
- Present government Liquor Act would be completely scrapped and new legislation written.
- Three-man liquor commission to replace present one-man board.
- Sale of cartoned beer or bottled liquor to be banned in all licensed retail premises and made only from government liquor stores which would be retained.
- A new rigid inspection system for licensed premises to be set up, and holders of licenses to be held responsible for infractions of the liquor law.
- Minors—under 21—to be allowed into drinking places if with parent or guardian but not to be served with drink.
- Importation of foreign wines would be allowed.
- Nobody connected with the provincial public service to have any interest in any part of the liquor industry.
- One liquor store each in Victoria and Vancouver to remain open until 11 p.m. Monday through to Saturday.
- Brewers and distillers to have no interest or connection with retail outlets, and a government audit to be made of any existing connection.
- Liquor Act to order that no retail license is to have any "asset value" to the holder.
- A rehabilitation program for habitual drunkards and alcoholics proposed, along with establishment of an Alcohol Research Foundation at University of British Columbia and extension of the present education program on alcohol, all costs to be paid out of government liquor profits.
- Further investigation into the liquor industry recommended, particularly on alleged excessive profits and on treatment of alcoholics.

## Liquor by Glass Likely In Major Victoria Hotels

Victorians apparently won't be called upon to express their opinions on public houses and beverage lounges in liquor plebiscites under the new distribution system recommended in the Stevens report.

Although the report is not clear on this phase of its recommendations, it seems the commission intended that areas which now have liquor outlets (Victoria has liquor stores) will not be required to vote. Areas which now have no outlets will conduct plebiscite votes only when objections are raised.

If this is the correct interpretation of the recommendation, then the Empress Hotel, Dominion Hotel, Strathcona Hotel, Douglas Hotel, and possibly others, may get licenses to sell liquor by the glass. They also would be permitted beer parlors, or public houses, as they will be called.

The formula on clubs appears to be that such establishments as the Pacific Club, Union Club, veterans' clubs, and fraternal organizations would be permitted to continue if they have adequate lounges and dining room facilities. These are membership clubs.

They are: Fred W. Smelts, Vancouver, who is re-appointed to represent the Canadian Manufacturers' Association; Maj.-Gen. C. A. P. Murison, Duncan, nominee of the Industrial Association of B.C.; George Home, Vancouver, secretary-treasurer of the B.C. Federation of Labor; CCL nominee; James Barton, Vancouver, president of the B.C. Trade Union Congress, a TLC nominee.

Col. D'Arcy Baldwin will continue as chairman.

## Overhaul of Clubs, Cabaret Drinks In Commission Plan

By GORDON FORBES  
Times Legislative Reporter

A "drinks-by-the-glass" plan for British Columbia operated largely on the theory of making food available with liquor is the proposal of the three-man Royal Commission headed by Hon. H. H. Stevens, PC.

The commission's official report of nearly 30,000 words was made public today by Premier W. A. C. Bennett and Attorney-General Robert Bonner. The investigation was made to determine how to carry out the plebiscite of last June when British Columbians voted in favor of the change.

Flatly rejecting the idea of lush cocktail bars on every corner, the commission recommends that hard liquor by the glass be sold with meals in hotels that serve the travelling public, in a certain class of restaurant, in night clubs and cabarets, in non-profit clubs and veterans' clubs which provide dining-room facilities, and on boats and trains.

The only lounge rooms allowed would be in hotels doing nearly all their business in transient trade, on steamships and in the membership clubs.

At the same time the commission proposes a complete re-vamping of the beer parlors, turning them into public houses where people can have either beer or soft drinks and coffee, sandwiches and light foods, and can enjoy music with their beer.

The system envisaged by the report is one in which a man could take his whole family into the public house, let his wife have a cup of coffee, and the children drink pop while he has a glass of beer. This is done by allowing minors into drinking places with their parents or guardians, although they cannot be served liquor.

Some parts of the United States, instead, it has formulated a system of carefully controlled liquor outlets in districts desiring them, always having in mind that food aids moderation.

B.C. would not have a "bar-on-every-corner" atmosphere. A rigid inspection system for licensed premises is envisioned by the commission, providing stiff penalties for infractions of any new liquor legislation enacted.

The commission has designed a system of distribution it hopes will meet the justifiable demands of the moderate user, and will at the same time protect immoderate individuals and society generally from the many undesirable and often evil effects of excessive use.

When acted upon by the Legislature next month, it will be the first major change in B.C.'s liquor laws in more than 30 years.

The commission has rejected the wide-open type of liquor distribution system, prevalent in

allowed to serve drinks by the glass with meals, in special "beverage lounges" (the report makes no reference to "cocktail lounges"), and in guest rooms.

Class B hotels would be those doing 50 per cent or more transient business. These structures would have the same privileges as Class A hotels, but wouldn't be permitted beverage lounges.

Each class of hotel would be permitted separate beer parlors or "public houses" as they will be called under the new system.

Room service by the glass would be allowed in both types of hotels to transient guests only, but no sales by the bottle, except beer.

Status of so-called proprietary clubs—which operate on a profit basis for individual owners rather than for general membership—was left clouded by the report.

At one point in the report the commission flatly states that such clubs serve no good purpose and should not be licensed.

It states that only clubs operating under the Societies Act, charging at least \$10 a year for membership, and using all profits for the good of the membership and improvement of the premises, should be given liquor licenses.

Later, however, the report proposes that "public house" license and proprietary clubs should take the place of the "presently designated beer parlor."

This could mean that the proprietary clubs would be turned into the new type of beer parlors. However, there was no clarifying explanation on this point.

Victoria has two clubs of this type.

Three types of club licenses were recommended.

One would be for established clubs whose major function is service and social convenience of its members. They must be equipped with full dining room, lounges. In this category would

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Not many folk kin afford t' be pig-headed—not at prices fer pork.

M' Uncle Zeke's wife sez she hopes they soon settle on a chairman fer the social warfare committee.

Thing I like best about them new rules fer drinkin' is thet at last it looks like they're goin' t' let y' feel yere entitled t' one.

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# ON THE TIMES

By ART STOTT

A friend of mine has sent me from Paris a lithograph of book lovers browsing among the outdoor stalls on the Seine embankment.

It is a scene that might have illustrated a French lesson in what seems a far off day when young people had time to be interested in books for the sheer joy of books. The title of the picture is taken straight from an old text: "Les Bouquinistes sur les quais."

It recalls the mellowed pleasure of students wandering leisurely among the cases, picking up a volume here and rummaging through another pile of books there, dipping into a few pages of one, skimming another, perhaps buying, or perhaps leaving the purchase for another day and the further sampling of old vintage in print.

It's one of the things I've thought I'd like to do if I ever reached Paris. To me it seems a pastime of friendly virtue, a sort of rubbing shoulders with the spirits of another age. There doesn't seem to be any snobbish scholarship to it—just a quiet appreciation of the riches men have put into books.

I look at my newly acquired print and think of another friend who returned recently from Paris and spoke of browsing among the bookstalls of the quays. He feels something like me about books.

He told me of a surprising section among the old volumes. Over it stretched a banner: "Books not allowed in Great Britain or the United States." In it were several of the stories that have been banned by British and American authorities—some of Henry Miller's work, others of different ex-patriots and a few Britons whose output went quite a way past the acceptabilities of mental Mrs. Grundy's.

## Read Because They're Banned

My friend knew several of the proscribed volumes by name and by sight. He read some of them in Paris and he's not too sure that British and North American readers are missing much in one or two of them. Some were sprinkled with Anglo-Saxon words that aren't too acceptable in polite company.

My friend doesn't condemn the books. He thinks they may be the advance guard of a pattern that may become standard if some of the British and North American conventions change. Whether that would be good or bad, he doesn't say, but he notes the changes in conventions between the Restoration and the Victorians, as well as the more recent difference in attitudes between the time of the First World War and this postwar era.

He notes, too, the present outcry against some of the newsstand material, and he recollects an incident in his College latin class when a kindly professor skipped one of the odes to spare the feelings of girls taking that course.

My friend is reasonably conventional. He wouldn't want some of the stuff from that section marked "Books not allowed in Great Britain or the United States" left around his living room in reach of youngsters. He doesn't care for a lot of the trash that carries "girlie" covers on today's newsstands.

## Who Draws the Line?

But he wants to know where the line should be drawn, and more particularly, he wants to know who is competent to draw it. He's not in favor of formal censorship, because nobody knows where that might end.

As far as protecting the morals of the young are concerned, he makes one interesting observation. In his adolescence, he points out, if any one wanted to read material that wasn't considered fit for the drawing room, he usually turned to the classics. It might have been a prurient approach to good literature. But, he adds, because of it, a lot of good books were read by youngsters who otherwise would have neglected them.

He'd like to suggest that if enough people read enough of the stuff on the newsstands, even if a lot of it isn't good, some of them might develop an appetite for good reading. He'd like to believe that, but he recognizes the reverse possibility that a number of people who have read good books might destroy their palates by the sensational offerings that are so easily available.

## U.K. Watches Nazi Group

BONN (AP)—British authorities are closely watching other Nazi groups in West Germany and they will be jailed soon if a connection with the seven suspected plotters is proved. Thursday it is proved, it was authoritatively learned here today.

One former Nazi, now a Düsseldorf journalist, slipped through the British security net Thursday by being out of the British zone.

If he returns he will be whisked into West war crimes prison to join the other seven. A British official said this in would "complete the first list" of conspirators suspected in plotting to revive a dictatorship in West Germany.

The official indicated that

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## LIQUOR COMMISSION REPORT

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The commission omitted any regulation requiring restaurants serving drinks with meals to maintain a certain percentage of their business in food.

Such a system operates in the State of Washington, and it has effectively prevented these establishments from concentrating on profitable liquor sales and allowing food sales to slip. The commission urged extreme caution in granting liquor licenses to cabarets and night clubs "to prevent abuse of the privilege."

This type of license would be limited to locations within area of close supervision and not allowed in outskirts of cities or towns; in other words, no road-houses.

Resorts catering to tourists, hunting or fishing parties and holiday seekers would be given licenses to sell beer, wine and liquor by the glass for on-the-premises consumption. Such resorts would have to be situated considerable distance away from a regular licensed outlet, otherwise no license would be granted.

Vessels operating on regular schedules in B.C. coastal waters and ocean-going vessels calling at B.C. ports would be licensed to sell liquor by the glass in dining salons and lounges.

Trains would be licensed to serve liquor with meals on dining cars only during normal meal hours.

### MUST BE RELIABLE

In each category recommended for licensing, the commission said care must be exercised to ensure that each applicant is experienced and competent in the class of business he is operating or proposes to operate. He must be reliable and in person a substantial businessman and capable of supplying the major part of the capital required.

The commission is strongly critical of the reputations of some of the persons holding beer licenses in the province, and notes that some operators in Vancouver have police records.

In future, the board recommended, nobody who has been convicted of breaking the liquor laws or with a criminal record will be granted licenses.

Persons already operating licensed premises with unblemished records would get priority in issuance of new licenses.

In general, the commission urged a "go slow" policy for issuing all licenses.

In granting a license for other than clubs or restaurants, the licensing authority should take into consideration the number of retail outlets at the time in existence, the report said.

### ONE TO 1,500

The number of retail outlets in an area, municipal, town or district would be limited to one for each 1,500 population, up to 10,000, and above 10,000 not more than one for each additional 6,500.

All premises where liquor by the glass is sold would have to be well lighted, and liquor stores would become the sole outlet for sale of bottled beer or bottled liquor for off-the-premises consumption.

The commission is not specific about its "local option" proposal and this phase of the report will need clarification.

But the intent of the section appears to be that granting of licenses for sale of liquor in any communities now without such outlets should be decided by plebiscites when objections are raised.

Seemingly, here's how the system would work: When an application is made for a liquor license of any type, or for establishment of an additional vendor's store, in any "district or area" in which no license or store now exists, the application will be widely advertised.

### VOTE PROVISION

If any objections are filed with licensing authorities, then it will be obligatory to invoke the provisions of the Liquor Control Plebiscites Act, and a vote will be held.

But this act doesn't insist that the plebiscite be conducted among residents of the entire electoral riding. It could be held in just one or more polling divisions in the immediate vicinity of the proposed retail liquor outlet.

All this apparently only applies to districts where there is no outlet at present. Seemingly, districts where, for example, there is now a liquor store could not take advantage of this local option system.

The commission recommended that before any licenses are issued in any suburban area, it should be mandatory for the licensing authority to

notify the municipal and police authorities.

"The views or objections, if any, of any municipal or police authority . . . shall be given full and careful consideration by the licensing authority, and except in unusual and exceptional circumstances the objections of the municipal authorities shall be sustained and the license refused," the commission recommended.

This stipulation would give municipal authorities considerable power.

The commission further recommended that no premises for the sale of liquor shall be licensed if located near the boundary of any area that has taken advantage of any local option legislation to vote against the sale of liquor.

### THREE-MAN BOARD

Reflecting the current belief among most B.C. leaders that one-man boards are unwise, the commission recommended establishment of a three-man Liquor Control Board. Col. Donald McGugan, a recent appointment, now is the one-man board.

The commission used some of its strongest language in the entire report in criticizing the LCB inspection department and deplored the conditions in many beer parlors.

Their method of inspection can only be characterized as grossly incompetent. If this charitable excuse cannot be accepted, the alternative seems to be the unpleasant conclusion that laxity of inspection stems from a sinister disregard of duty," the report said.

### INSPECTION

The commission recommended establishment of a law enforcement branch of the LCB inspection department. Under new rigid regulations, licensees will be held responsible for infractions. Penalties for infractions of new liquor legislation will include swift license suspension, and repeaters will lose their licenses.

The report deals roughly with brewers and distillers who, it is alleged, have instituted a system of "tied houses" by making substantial loans to retail outlets, thereby acquiring control over such outlets and assuring themselves of steady business.

Prohibition of this procedure is strongly recommended. The practice is now illegal in many states in the United States.

The commission felt the financial interest of the brewer and distiller in a license has played a big part in the phenomenal prices at which these licenses have changed hands.

The commission recommended liquor or beer licenses should have no asset value to the holder, and that any contract purporting to transfer such a license should be null and void.

It also recommended that no person connected with a brewery or distillery should have any connection with a retail liquor outlet.

### HIT BREWERIES

The commission attacked the recent trend of amalgamation of plants and companies "with the obvious purpose of bringing the brewing industry under

ever-narrowing control of, and by powerful financial interests."

The commission had insufficient time to delve deeper into this situation, but recommended a complete government-directed audit and investigation be made of the operations and interrelations of the licensed brewery and distilling companies operating in B.C. and their connections with licensed hotel and beer parlor operations.

Lack of time prevented the commission from investigating other phases of the liquor industry.

But the report recommended the inquiry be continued, particularly in connection with alleged excessive profits of various branches of the industry.

The continuing inquiry should also investigate further the effects of alcohol on the person and on society, and more effective treatment of alcoholics, the report said.

### WOULD END BAN

The report recommended an end to the apparent ban on importation of foreign wines.

"Any inhibitions with respect to the purchase by the LCB of foreign wines should be only to the extent necessary to comply with federal tariff requirements and popular demand," the report said.

California wine interests have been trying unsuccessfully for several years to sell their product to the LCB. B.C. wine producers have consistently opposed importation of American wines.

The commission gave British Columbians a stern warning about the extent of alcoholism in Canada.

"The extent of alcoholism in Canada and in all countries of a similar stage of social development, and the increasing magnitude of the problem, created by this disease which fastens itself on our social fabric like a malignant cancerous growth, has shocked us almost beyond words. We are convinced that the public at large do not realize either the magnitude or the increasing threat of this problem of alcoholism to our social structure."

"Even those more directly connected with the sale and distribution of alcohol, who one would expect should be aware, seem to be almost completely oblivious to the dangers inherent to the traffic in alcoholic drinks."

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## WARTIME HEROES HELD AS SPIES

## Two U.S. Veterans Flown From Vienna; Said Gave Reds Secrets

WASHINGTON (UP)—Two decorated American war veterans were held in jail here early today on charges of plotting to deliver U.S. military secrets to Russia through a Soviet embassy courier.

Otto Verber, 31, and Kurt L. Ponger, 39, were held under \$50,000 bonds after being flown under heavy guard directly from Vienna where they were arrested Wednesday.

They were scheduled to go before a federal judge later today for a formal arraignment at which they will have a chance to plead innocent or guilty to the charges.

The two men—both naturalized Americans originally from Austria—arrived in Washington just before 1 a.m. aboard a special air force plane. Both were handcuffed and heavily guarded.

Verber, who won silver and bronze stars for bravery with the army in Europe during World War II, is a stocky, partly bald man. He wore an overcoat but no hat or tie and, snapped a curt "no sir" to a reporter who asked if he was a spy.

Ponger, a shorter, stouter man with a shock of curly hair, refused to say anything. He, like Verber a New Yorker, received a series of decorations, including a bronze star, for his army service in Europe.

U.S. commissioner Cyril S. Lawrence set the bonds at \$2,000 and the two men were taken to a dramatic post-midnight show-up in the chambers of the district court building.

A federal grand jury indicted the two men on espionage charges Tuesday after hearing top secret testimony from a dozen or more high ranking army officers.

The indictment, kept sealed until their arrest in Vienna, charged them with planning to deliver Russia "documents, writings, sketches, plans, maps, notes, instruments and information relating to the national defense of the United States."

It cited 14 alleged overt acts shortly after Novikov—a former Red army officer—arrived in Novikov, starting in 1949, here.

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# Truman Sees Collapse Of Red Aggression Plans

WASHINGTON (AP)—Retiring President Truman predicts Soviet's aggressive schemes will collapse, sooner or later, under the growing weight of the free world's defenses.

In a farewell address from the White House Thursday night, the president said this collapse will lead to a new golden age—to an era of spreading world authority, and of peace "as far ahead as man can see."

Truman took over the country's radio and television networks for a personal, sometimes emotional, review of his eight turbulent years in the White House.

He pointed to dangers ahead of a possible new world war that would dig the grave of western civilization and of its Communist enemy alike.

He disclaimed for the United States any will to provoke such a conflict by hurling ultimatums or by using terrible new weapons: "Starting an atomic war is totally unthinkable for rational men."

He called for complete public support of his successor, Dwight D. Eisenhower.

Finally, the outgoing president ended his valedictory with a gentle: "Good night—and God bless you all."

As he did so, Mrs. Truman and Margaret appeared on either side of him for the TV cameras.

Truman's last address from the office he will vacate Tuesday came only a few hours after he handed a firm piece of advice to his successor:

Wide-open press conferences may be tough on you, but don't give them up—the people are entitled to them.

It's important to a democracy, Truman said, that "every medium of communication between the citizens and their government, particular the president, be kept open as far as possible."

## Army Reservist M.P. Allegedly Overpaid

OTTAWA (CP)—A Progressive Conservative member of Parliament said Thursday night that a Liberal member drew parliamentary and reserve army pay in 1951 for more days than there are in the calendar.

Carl Nickle, PC-Calgary West, named the Liberal member as Lieut.-Col. E. W. George, who represents the constituency of Westmorland and also commands the 8th New Brunswick Hussars reserve unit.

He called for a "full explanation" from Mr. George and said this was "particularly necessary" because Mr. George was "one of the government party members of the committee on defense expenditures charged with the specific task of analyzing and checking on the vast expenditures for defense being made by our Canada."

The Calgary member made his charge during debate on the government's motion to set up a defense expenditures committee to study the controversial Currie report on irregularities in the army works branch.

Mr. George was not in the Commons at the time and could not be reached immediately for comment.

Rene Beaudoin, deputy speaker, said following Mr. Nickle's speech he was "not sure of the exact status of the accusation."

He would confer with Speaker Ross Macdonald, but in the meantime he would suggest that the matter was perhaps one for the committee on privileges instead of the defense expenditures committee.

Mr. Nickle said that as commander of the reserve unit, Mr. George claimed for 204 full days' service with that unit in 1951 and was paid \$2,495.01 by the army, "about double the average" payment to all other lieutenant-colonels on the lists.

Reserve army pay was on the basis of attendance at two parades equalling one day's pay.

At the same time, the public accounts showed that as a member of Parliament, Mr. George claimed maximum sessional indemnities and expense allowances. Given 15 days' absence allowed members, this would mean that he attended Parliament at least 209 days in 1951.

Mr. Nickle said that if a satisfactory explanation could not be given to the House "then I trust this member and the government will take the only possible corrective action."

## Waterworks to Cost City \$11 Million

Mayor Tells Council of Projected Disbursements Over 25-Year Term

Mayor Claude Harrison told city council Thursday that within 25 years \$11,000,000 must be borrowed for Greater Victoria Water District projects.

"Victoria is liable, jointly and severally, to meet the expenditure and we must provide \$2,500,000 by 1954," the mayor said.

He did not elaborate.

It was learned later the Greater Victoria Water District reported to the mayor on projects and replacements that will necessitate the expenditure.

Projects include completion of a pipeline from Goldstream to Oak Bay, now at the halfway mark, \$2,750,000; a tunnel from Goldstream to Sooke Lake, \$4,000,000 estimated cost; raising of Sooke Lake and building a bigger dam, \$500,000; replacement of existing water pipes from Goldstream to Victoria West and from Humpback to town, \$3,000,000.

The two pipelines were laid about 1912 and it is estimated replacement will be necessary between 1970 and 1980.

The work, if undertaken, would mean the water district would be in debt for the next 50 years with an average annual debt of \$220,000.

The mayor said he was drawing the report to the attention of the council to remind them of "how careful we must be this year."

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## Red-Figurehead Arrested As 'Western Spy'

East Germany Purge Engulfs Dertinger

BERLIN (AP)—East Germany's spreading purge of Communist officials and their collaborators today engulfed the Red regime's figurehead foreign minister, Georg Dertinger. The East Berlin press announced his arrest on charges of high treason as a Western spy.

Soon after the announcement, the West German radio reported that Max Kellson, chief of the Soviet department of Dertinger's ministry, and his wife had been arrested.

Dertinger was a founder-member of the Soviet zone's Christian Democratic Union, one of the four "non-Communist" parties collaborating in the east regime with the ruling Red Socialist Unity party.

Western observers long had considered him to be on shaky ground. Once a spare, slightly-built man, the 51-year-old Dertinger became pudgy in office.

Kellson is a member of the Socialist Unity party. He served as editor of Vorwarts, the party's first post-war newspaper, before joining the foreign ministry as press chief.

Later he was made director of the bureau dealing with Soviet Union affairs.

Dertinger is the most prominent of the east zone clique to fall since the German Communists and parties allied with them were hit by a purge launched by the conviction in Czechoslovakia of Rudolf Slansky and 13 other once-powerful Reds.

A West German Christian Democrat commented: "This means the gallows for Dertinger."

## Council To Study Ald. Smith's Plan To Woo Industries

Inter-municipal committee of Victoria City Council will study and report on a motion of Ald. Don Smith's for a special industrial committee, to encourage secondary industries here.

"We have no proper plan to attract industry," Ald. Smith stated at a council meeting Thursday. "Victoria should take the lead and not wait for someone else."

Ald. Waldo Skillings felt the matter was adequately covered by two existing council committees and Ald. Frank Muller expressed fear of "overlapping."

"Leadership should come from the senior Chamber of Commerce," contended Ald. William Pinfold. "They should outline how they would like the city to assist them."

## Hero of Flying Enterprise Turns Down Millions

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Capt. Henrik Kurt Carlsen, 38-year-old Danish-born skipper of the Flying Enterprise, kept the world in suspense during the Christmas season a year ago.

Since then he has refused more than \$2,000,000.

Companies and individuals stumbled over each other in a rush to get Carlsen to sign contracts. To their astonishment, he calmly rejected all offers. He says he still is getting offers—and still turning them down.

"It's hard to believe these people are serious," he said in an interview when his new ship, Flying Enterprise II, steamed into San Francisco Bay.

"I've had more than \$2,000,000 offered for various things," he reported.

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## The Splinters

A BRITISH UNITED PRESS summary of Mr. Drew's latest radio speech says: "A return to a straight two-party fight in general elections is the only way for those wishing a change to defeat the Liberal administration. Progressive Conservative leader George Drew said Tuesday night in a nation-wide broadcast. The extracts from the speech reported by the British United Press fully document this summary.

Mr. Drew thus admits that the Conservative party has no chance of electing a Canadian government this year unless the Social Credit party folds up. Of this there is no prospect whatever. The Social Credit party, under a full head of steam in Alberta and British Columbia, intends to pursue its destruction of the Conservative party's prospects.

Mr. Drew is commendably frank and he might as well be. Assuming any sizeable Social Credit vote, the mathematical results of the next election cannot be denied. Such a split in the right-wing opposition vote will make it impossible for the Conservative party to secure anything like a majority in the next Parliament. Social Credit cannot hope to win. It can wreck the Conservative party and that seems to be its plan; for out of the wreck Social Credit undoubtedly hopes to capture the Conservative party later on, or marry it.

Mr. Drew deplores the cleavage of opposition political forces in splinter parties. No thoughtful voter, who understands our parliamentary system, can quarrel with that view.

Mr. Drew is not the first Canadian statesman to see the danger of splitting politics and thus undermining the parliamentary system, which must be based, if it is to succeed, on two major parties. Mr. King uttered the same warning many times.

We have only to look at the cur-

rent situation in France to see the wisdom of these warnings. Where politics is splintered between many parties government becomes the changing prey of temporary coalitions and is bound to be unstable and weak.

The present state of the opposition in Canada—split between Conservatism, Social Credit and the CCF—must, be deplored by Conservatives and Liberals alike. It has removed, for the present anyway, one of the two essential pillars of the democratic process.

That process rests on an existing government and an alternative government ready and able to take office when the government falls. By Mr. Drew's own candid admission, there can be no alternative government until the opposition unites. No sign of this union appears at the moment. On the contrary, Social Credit proposes to extend its present base in the two westernmost provinces and strike eastward, mainly at the expense of the Conservative party.

Why has this fragmentation occurred? It has occurred because the Conservative party, after its debacle (in a similar split) at the 1935 election, has never been able to master the opposition. It has never been able to master the opposition because it has never erected a clear, understandable and constructive policy which the people as a whole could grasp and would accept.

Such a broad and understandable policy is still missing in the Conservative party and Mr. Drew has done little to dispel the fog. Lacking a policy of his own, he resorts to the handy weapon of the Currie report.

His attack on the government, based on that report, is entirely legitimate, is part of his duty as opposition leader. But it is not a policy. And without a policy the revolt within the Conservative party—for Social Credit is nothing else—was inevitable.

## Ottawa and Grant Principles

AS REEVE WURTELE PRE-pares Esquimalt's case for a larger federal grant and as Mayor Harrison expresses continued hopes of more financial aid from senior governments, the Ottawa Citizen lays down two principles on which federal assistance is given to the national capital.

Under the first, the city's property owners should not be called on to subsidize the rest of the country by paying an unfair share for services aimed at developing the nation's capital. Under the second, taxpayers outside Ottawa should not have to subsidize the city's home-owners by paying for services which are properly a municipal obligation.

By variations to relate the issue to national defense installations maintained for the whole nation, those principles might be applied in Esquimalt. Beyond that, they offer a rough outline of the case Victoria can present to the British Columbia government in its plea for a capital city grant.

Just as Ottawa deserves the consideration of all Canadians as the nation's capital, so, surely, does Victoria merit the consideration of provincial citizens as British Columbia's capital. Furthermore, while Victoria appreciates the importance to it of the Parliament Buildings and the payrolls they release in this region, the city has to provide more municipal services for provincial government build-

ings than it would have to furnish if they were not here.

The case for a federal grant may be less convincing. Victoria is the site of some federal government buildings. So, too, are scores of other towns and cities. Grants in lieu of taxes from Ottawa could be extended legitimately to Victoria only if they were given to other cities with comparable claims.

But when it comes to provision of federal funds, one significant point should not be forgotten. Before Ottawa could distribute grants, it would first have to collect the money. Where would the funds come from? Obviously from all parts of Canada, but more specifically from the richer parts. The wealthier provinces would carry the larger share of the load.

Among those wealthier provinces is British Columbia and contributing to any revenues raised by federal authorities in this rich province are the citizens of Victoria. Any returns they received in grants from Ottawa, they would pay in direct or indirect taxes to the federal government.

In fact, demands for more assistance from Ottawa raised at the municipal level here, are little more than instructions to 'Victoria citizens to take the money from one pocket rather than the other.

Esquimalt's case is different. There the continual absorption of large sections of the municipality into defense properties leaves the corporation sadly lacking in municipal revenue sources.

## Stop-Gap for Oak Bay

THE SUGGESTION THAT OAK Bay use its former high school building as a municipal hall deserves serious consideration by the council. The building is as centrally located as the existing hall and contains more space.

It is not an imposing edifice. It will add little dignity to the municipality. But it might provide adequate quarters for the next few years. Within that time Oak Bay could decide whether it will amalgamate with Vic-

toria or remain an independent entity in charge of a few services which have not been combined into a metropolitan unit.

Municipal hall needs in Oak Bay will be largely influenced by such decisions. In the meantime the old school, such as it is, can be used—if the existing premises on Oak Bay Avenue and Hampshire Road are too crowded—without heavy expense in new construction.

## That Inscrutable Smile

A TORONTO OPTOMETRIST, who doesn't expect to be taken too seriously, has presented a novel explanation of the styles of the old masters. Many of the great artists whose works decorate the walls of galleries throughout the world painted as they did, he says, because they suffered from deficient vision.

Mona Lisa's smile, he suggests, wouldn't have piqued millions if the artist hadn't suffered from myopia. Had Leonardo da Vinci not been short-sighted, the expression would not have been there at all.

The optometrist may be correct. There have been other, and less engaging explanations. One of them is that the smile is the result of faulty

dentures. The exponent of that theory held that if the subject's false teeth had fitted more snugly, one of the puzzles of art would not have existed.

But why are the explanations made at all? There are thousands of women's portraits more attractive to modern eyes than the Mona Lisa. There is, on the other hand, only one Mona Lisa and it is made unique in large part by that smile.

Moreover, as we understand it, the genius of art lies in the artist's ability to convey something to his canvass the casual eye does not see. And in a world that is finding out more than it can handle, perhaps we might retain a few enigmas to prevent us from feeling too clever.

## Chips

BY DAVID BROCK

THERE'S only two things wrong with this neighborhood. One is the way the neighborhood kids seem to have birthday parties in a never-ending series, sometimes several in a week, and with some of the kids apparently having several parties a year each. They remind me of a grown-up neighbor I once had. He said he celebrated in a wild and blurry manner on only one occasion a year, his birthday. As he was blurred for about half of every week, I could only conclude he used a shorter year than I did, and he must have been about 900 years old by the time he started school.



Brock

They remind me of a friend of mine who belonged to a Highland regiment. I said he seemed to spend an awful lot of his time dancing. He said indignantly that they had only one dance a year. I said this couldn't be true... even without hearing about all his dances in the past year, I could remember the New Year's Eve dance and the Signals dance and the sergeants' dance and the machine-gunners' dance and an informal dance in the officers' mess every week, and a formal dance in the same place quite often, and the big annual dance for the whole regiment, all ranks attending. "But that's what I say, man," he said, "we just have one dance a year, an annual dance. That's why it's called the annual dance."

### ARITHMETIC PROGRESSION

And the other thing I object to, besides the number of birthday parties, and the way they arrive in clumps, is the number of twins around here. Never saw the like. If my own twins are asked to the birthday party of other twins, that can mean four presents in a day. Yes, I know... it works both ways. When we play a return match, it means the other twins have to bear gifts to our twins. But I don't get over it. On the contrary, I feel sorry for their parents... a fellow-feeling.

It isn't just the money, either. Or the hopeless task of trying to taper the little gluttons off the old ice cream, candy, and cake in order to have them fall right off the non-sugar wagon the very next day. Nope, it's the choice of all these presents. You can't send complete junk. Nor can you establish a precedent by sending something rather nice... that would make for trouble all round. Nor can you send the same junk-but-nice stuff to the same people each time. It's sending me nuts.

However, we have solved the problem for the next round of birthdays. A one year's supply of birthdays. After that, we can start worrying afresh. The thing to do is to go to a well-supplied stationer or an art-supply shop, and get a cheap but impressively large sketch book, or sketch block... the cheaper the paper, the bigger the one you can get for your money. With it, you buy as big and soft a pencil as possible. You should be able to do the whole job for 50 cents or less. And the present appeals to a very wide assortment of ages.

### A HAPPY COINCIDENCE

Talking of pencils, I must tell you this. I have a friend who is very pleasant except when she wants to tell you too many interesting facts. Even when they are true facts they get a little tedious, but when they are not really facts at all they become a great strain. She is so very proud of them, and so anxious to share them with you provided you are grateful and impressed. If she had other faults, it would be easy to insult her, first into silence and then into absence. But she has no other faults, and so every one endures her. General Knowledge, out of affection for her. Everyone, that is, except a certain artist. Artists are apt to be brusque. That is why so many wear beards, by way of collision mats. My friend asked this artist if he realized the HB pencil was named after Hablot Browne, the English illustrator of 100 years ago, better known as Phiz. (You've seen his Dickens illustrations.) "HB stands for Hablot Browne," does it?" said the artist. "How lucky it also stands for John Doyle, who signed himself HB, and who thought HB stood for hard black."

### THEY BUTTON THEIR LIPS

A friend of mine lives next door to a very distinguished old man indeed. A world-famous old man who has held enough authority for three entirely successful careers. This great commander complimented my friend on the appearance of his garden. My friend said this was very gratifying, but when he married, it was on the express and explicit understanding that he was not going to do any gardening. And now he seemed to be doing nothing else but. The great man said "I quite understand. But you know, after a lifetime of wrangling, I think there is something very satisfactory about plants and vegetables. They can't talk back."

### THE MASTER OF HIS FATE

Confidential report on a certain man: "His stubbornness in the face of facts is the only strong element in his character." I once met a toothless bulldog who was very like that.

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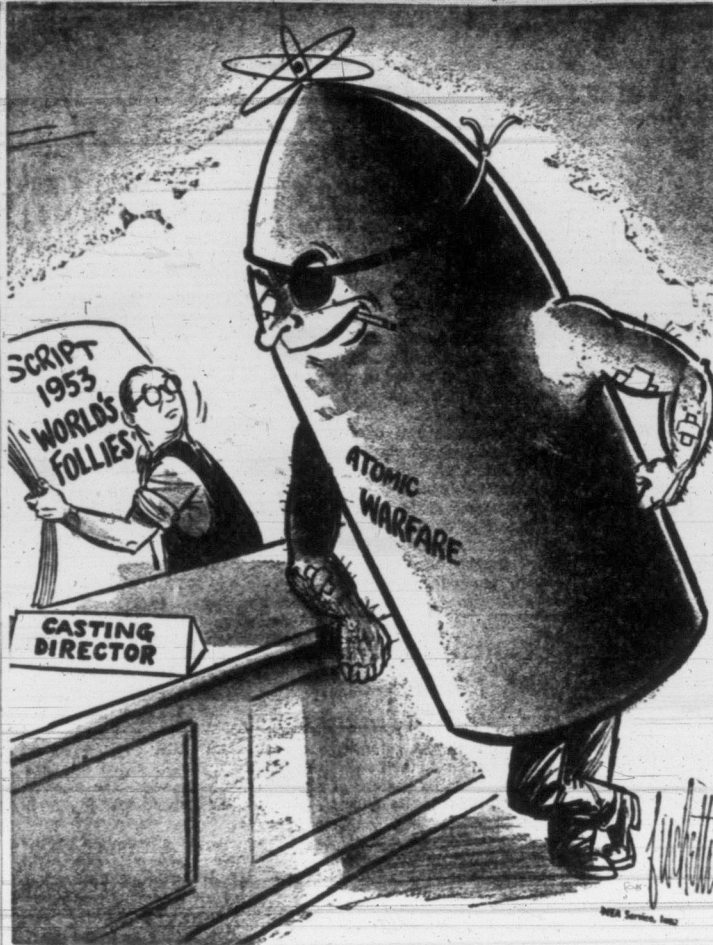
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The soldier is a peculiar animal that can alone be brought to the highest efficiency by inducing him to believe that he belongs to a regiment which is infinitely superior to the others around him.  
—Maxims of Field Marshal Lord Wolseley, 1915

### HAPPY MEDIUM

This great college (Trinity, Cambridge) of this ancient university has seen some strange sights. It has seen Wordsworth drunk and Porson sober. And here am I, a better poet than Porson, and a better scholar than Wordsworth, betwixt and between.  
A. E. Housman in an after-dinner speech. Quoted by Chesterton and others.

## 'Anything for a Heavy?'



## As Our Readers See It

### DISCLAIMS DISCLAIMER

On Thursday night, Jan. 8, 1933, we, Albert E. Williams (father) and Albert E. Williams (son) noticed an appeal in your columns by an Albert E. Williams of 1465 Fort St., that he did not wish to be known as the Albert E. Williams who had the accident on Esquimalt Rd. on Dec. 23, 1932.

We, Albert E. Williams and son, also wish, through the medium of your paper, to make it known we are in no way related to Albert E. Williams of 1465 Fort St. (as far as we know).

Hoping that this will suffice for the remaining Albert E. Williams.  
ALBERT E. WILLIAMS.  
(Father).

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### ONE WAY OUT

Permanent peace and guaranteed immunity from war is one of the greatest blessings that could grace any nation. Mr. Avery of December 23 is bold and confident enough to assert that we may have that inestimable boon by nationally invoking Divine guidance and accepting the Almighty's terms.

With the threat of another world war so imminent this is a matter that deserves the most serious and urgent consideration by those whose business it is to govern. Churchill has sounded an alarm. Intelligence reports from the most reliable sources agree that Russia is feverishly preparing for attack, and scientists are extremely uneasy about the uncontrolled use of their discoveries which, they say, "could cause a chain of explosions that would destroy the world."

Space forbids mention of many other fearful portents, but they are vividly real. Notwithstanding this nightmare of frightfulness, there is one way out. No-

thing is comparable to God's omnipotence whose guarantee of permanent peace can be ours if we will only meet his conditions. This Biblical gospel should be preached from every pulpit.  
W. F. CRESSALL.

Hampton Court.

### SAVE THE SOIL

I hope that many of our readers took notice of Art Stott's column "On the Times," Dec. 3, and that everybody who has a bit of ground at his disposal will act upon the advice given, if he has not done that so far.

Only a few may reach perfection, as Mr. Stott's neighbor, in husbanding their soil. But even if they manage 50 per cent, they will help considerably.

In October, '32 issue Country Life, its editor C. A. Hayden, points out again how only two acres of land per capita throughout the world are fit for growing food plants.

A small garden may not produce more than a drop in a bucket at its best, still, a country as Canada, with 14,000,000 people, certainly could supply an extra million drops. And all over the world it would amount to something worth while. Besides, where several "older" countries produce considerably more per acre than Canada does (and U.S.A. for that matter), it seems high time that measures be taken to produce much higher output.

At the more local level alone how often have we heard that the Saanich peninsula could produce twice to thrice as much if plenty of good irrigation water was available. Vancouver Island surely has plenty of water, and there are certainly enough technicians who can bring that water to Saanich, so what are we waiting for?

F. H. STAVEMAN.  
Langford Lake.

## Victoria—"A Watered Garden"

BY MAJOR MRS. H. STEVENS in The War Cry

From my earliest schooldays I had a desire to visit the great Dominion of Canada. Probably the lure of the polar bear or the thrill of witnessing the great rafts of lumber floating down the waterways attracted the village girl, and created a longing for new and wider spheres of adventure.

Many years passed, and one evening the friend of my girlhood handed me a beautiful picture of "The Bluebell Wood." There were the mighty oaks and graceful beeches; underneath was a carpet of bluebells, so typical of English woodland and a winding path beneath. Memories of a Sabbath evening flooded my mind, the challenge to one's life and work, the decision to leave the bluebell wood with its happy associations and serve in a wider sphere. I became a Salvation Army officer in the Old Land.

### BEYOND DESCRIPTION

Eight thousand miles traveled by sea and land, with companions of many creeds; the thrill of crossing the country from east to west, with its variety of landscape and climate; then the thrilling joy of seeing the Rocky Mountains, about which someone has said: "It is impossible to be reasonable about Canada; our Lady of the Snows is beyond description and I had better stop with much unsaid." The long interesting, inspiring journey, terminated at Victoria, B.C.—this "little bit of England," as many of my fellow travelers intimated.

To walk the streets of the city, with its friendly homes and unfenced gardens delightful in color, variety and fragrance was an inspiration. Here one senses a deep love of beauty, a willingness to sacrifice in order to attain, a determination to grow flowers where weeds would love to flourish, so with will, work and water (for always the sprinklers are busy) one found cultivated loveliness at journey's end.

The bluebell wood seems very far away. It typifies youth's natural growth, amid the loveliness of home. Then comes the challenge of life, and the carefree days of youth have to be left behind,

but the garden of future days depends on the decision.

We tend to become what we admire. The prophet reminds us of this in his words, "And thou shalt be like a watered garden" (Isaiah 58:11.) Victoria echoes this at every step. In every niche and cranny flowers bloom in profusion. Abraham Lincoln, who particularly belongs to the American continent, said: "I want it to be said of me by those who knew me best that I always plucked a thistle and planted a flower where I thought a flower would grow." This appears to be the slogan for this city.

Thank you, Victoria, for the echo that will ring for ever in my heart. "And thou shalt be like a watered garden." Thank you for the prayer so deep in its desire: "Make me a lover of beauty, a seeker after loveliness, a worker for its preservation, and having learned of the source of divine refreshment far back in the days of youth and the 'Bluebell Wood,' be daily refreshed by the water of life, so that the flowers of Christian character will bloom continually in the garden of my heart."

### Bridge : : : : : BY H. T. WEBSTER



## What Truman Didn't Say

BY JOSEPH and STEWART ALSOP

WHAT was left out was the really interesting part of President Truman's valedictory statement on the hydrogen bomb, in his message on the State of the Union.

The President told the country and the world that this was a very terrible weapon. He hinted that the hydrogen bomb, if used in war, might change the tired, familiar face of this planet. What he did not say, but should have said, is that the mere existence of this weapon already raises the greatest and most urgent questions of American national policy.

We cannot just add the hydrogen bomb to our arsenal, tell Stalin to take note of it, and leave it at that. There are a few facts that have to be faced, considered and even acted upon. They may be summarized as follows:

First, there is the bomb's sheer power. As previously reported in this space, the H-bomb tested at Eniwetok developed the totally unexpected and unprecedented power of three to five megatons—which is the explosive force of three to five million tons of TNT. Furthermore, the Eniwetok test is believed to have proven the possibility of building deliverable and useable hydrogen bombs of almost infinitely greater power.

### NEW WORLD

The simple development of infinitely destructive weapons automatically revolutionizes all our world's complex strategic relationships. The world we live in has ceased to be the world we used to know.

Second, there are the special, horrible characteristics which are peculiar to the hydrogen bomb. The radioactive residues of a rather moderate number of H-bombs, such as might be exploded in a fairly long war, can attack the reproductive processes of the higher animals, and so end the race of men on earth. Some of the scientists contend that the dust cloud from the explosion of only a few H-bombs, which have been encased in certain metals, will be noxious enough to depopulate half a continent.

It is putting it mildly to say that grave issues of national policy are raised by a few weapons test which, if repeated a few hundred times, can close the chapter of human history and leave this planet to the insects.

### NO LASTING MONOPOLY

Third, and most important, there is the virtual certainty that the American monopoly of hydrogen bombs cannot endure for very long. Our all-out effort to build an H-bomb only began in 1950. Long before 1950, the Soviet scientists were entirely aware that an H-bomb could be built. It must be, and it is, expected that the masters of the Kremlin will be testing their own peoples' democratic hydrogen bomb within a relatively short time. Two years is the time allowed by the majority of experts.

To the somewhat tired policy-makers of the Truman administration, these facts have seemed unpleasant to the point of being unbearable. Being unbearable, they have not been thought about. Being unthinkable, they have not been talked about, even by President Truman. But unbearable, unthinkable, unspeakable though they are, they remain facts. Being facts, they go on posing the same ugly questions.

For example, there is the question, who benefits most by the development of this weapon. No doubt the H-bomb became inevitable, as soon as the scientists opened the Pandora's Box of the atomic art. No doubt we were right to push its development. No doubt we have gained a temporary advantage thereby. But we must also consider the future time, when the American hydrogen bomb will be matched by a Russian, peoples' democratic hydrogen bomb.

### UNEASY BALANCE

Which way will the balance tip then? Who then will be the gainer—the United States, which cannot launch a surprise attack, or the Soviet Union, which can attack by surprise as soon as the rapidly growing Russian strategic air force is ready for the task?

Again, will this wholly foreseeable future situation in fact be intolerable? If it is not to be tolerated, what diplomatic or other initiative should be attempted to avert it? What are the needed preparations? And what is to be the aim of this initiative—world settlement, world disarmament, or world control of the new weapons?

Or what will be needed, if we prefer to rely on what Winston S. Churchill has called "the peace of mutual terror"?

What must be done to make the terror truly mutual? If we wring out the budget now, shall we not later be wringing our hands? And can our kind of society exist in a condition of perpetual, life-and-death alert?

## From Our Files

Jan. 16, 1893—Chief of Police Sheppard in his annual report attributes the fact that drunkenness is on the decrease to the Sunday closing of saloons. The lock-up accommodation is inadequate.

Jan. 16, 1913—The annual report of the library commission was lodged with the city clerk this morning. Among other things it tells of the thorough reorganization carried out.

Jan. 16, 1933—Pleasing audiences at the Royal Victoria Theatre this week are "The Dumbells," brought here by Capt. M. W. Plunkett on the tour of their fourth annual revue.



## Chamber To Ask Legislation For Safe Loading of Trucks

Support from provincial government highway officials and from B.C. chambers of commerce will be sought to help prevent accidents from heavily loaded trucks, the civic affairs group of the Victoria chamber decided at a meeting Thursday.

J. L. Hobbs, chairman of the group, explained that trucks on the roads are regulated by the Provincial Highway Act and the problem of accidents was therefore a provincial matter.

Reeve Joseph Casey of Saanich pointed out that the act was designed mainly to protect roads and bridges from heavy traffic. The problem of proper fastening of loads to prevent spilling or overturning does not appear to be adequately covered, he said.

More than half the people of the Netherlands live below sea level, protected by 1,800 miles of dikes.

## Manslaughter Case Grew From Child's Find Police Witness Says at Campbell Hearing

It was his child's discovery of fragments found at the accident scene, south to Tillicum to Gorge, and then to Heath Drive.

"He was asked why he had called the police and replied that it was because he had heard on the radio about an accident having occurred on Tillicum Road earlier in the night and in view of the damage to his car," the officer replied.

The hearing was adjourned to next Thursday afternoon for further Crown evidence.

Prosecutor Lloyd G. McKenzie asked Magistrate H. C. Hall for adjournment to give defense counsel George F. Gregory time to study a copy of a nine-page police question-and-answer interview with Campbell.

**VOLUNTARY STATEMENT**

Const. Thompson said the record was taken only after Detective Joseph Armstrong had repeated several times that it must be voluntarily. Accused's wife was present at the time. The questions and answers were taken down by Arthur Hall, Saanich court stenographer.

Technical evidence on headlight glass tests will be presented later in the hearing by Dr. T. W. McConnell Davis, provincial analyst, who examined

fragments found at the accident scene.

Answering questions from Mr. McKenzie, Const. Thompson said it was his opinion the corner was not well-lighted. Street lights were 125 to 150 feet away in both directions on Tillicum. They shone straight down and only illuminated a small area, he said.

Lorenzo McKay, 3074 Earl Grey, a 30-year friend of deceased, said Mr. Armstrong was spry and in good health generally.

Hugh Hughes, 379 Davida, said he had known Mr. Armstrong 10 to 15 years. Around 5:45 Christmas Eve he had met deceased at the Gorge Beer parlor. They had had two or three beers each and then went to Hughes' home.

**ATE BIG MEAL**

They had had a substantial meal of corned beef and beans and Armstrong left for home about 7:30, witness said. Deceased was wearing darkish clothing, he said, "and when he left his condition was alright."

Mrs. Gladys Mann and her husband, driving by Kerr on Tillicum, spotted the body lying in the ditch, she told the court. She fixed the time at about 7:15. Her husband called police.

Sgt. Cecil Pearce told of glass fragments found at the intersection, which had been sent to Dr. Davis for analysis report.

Photographs taken by Sgt. Pearce in the accident area were admitted as exhibits. Pictures showing damage to Campbell's car were also admitted.

Const. Thompson said he placed "fragments" of a grey

## Rites Saturday for Gas Victims

Funeral service will be held Saturday at 11 a.m. in Christ Church Cathedral for Mrs. Lilian Sparham, 69, and Mrs. Mary Jane Sefton, 65, both of 544 Dallas Road, who died Tuesday from gas fumes from a kitchen stove.

Dean G. R. Beattie and Rev. Canon A. E. Greenhalgh will officiate at the double service. Cremation will follow.

Mrs. Sparham, widow of William Sparham, was a resident of Victoria for many years. She was born in England and is survived by a sister in Toronto. Mrs. Sefton came to Victoria several years ago from Crossfield, Alta. Her husband predeceased her. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Eileen Harrison, Powell River; one stepdaughter in Vancouver and one stepson in Crossfield.

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# Text of Recommendations in Stevens' Report on Liquor Laws

## Additional Study of Question Suggested By Three-Man Board

Following are textual excerpts covering the recommendations of the Stevens Royal Commission for the new system of handling liquor distribution in B.C., particularly in bringing about the "drinks-by-the-glass" system for which British Columbians voted last June. The full report, nearly 30,000 words, included lengthy quotations from the transcript of evidence taken in connection with brewery loans to beer parlors, quotations from liquor laws in Ontario, Manitoba, California and other places, and lengthy references to the general problem of alcoholism.

## Education, Rehabilitation

(1) The commendable existing provincial program of education as to the nature and effect of the use of alcohol as a beverage on the individual and on society should be extended to all school grades, and that a somewhat similar educational program for adults should be made available to adult society through the University of British Columbia and all other suitable media.

(2) An Alcohol Research Foundation be established at the University of British Columbia similar to that set up in the state of Washington.

(3) We recommend also that a detention rehabilitation centre be established for habitual drunkards and known alcoholics, and that all police magistrates and police authorities be instructed to commit persons convicted of "drunkenness in a public place" to such rehabilitation centre instead of to the common goal, where such persons are known to the authorities to be "repeaters."

Such an establishment should not be of a type or character as may induce its inmates to consider it a pleasant place in which to "loaf" for a time, or as a holiday during inclement weather, but should, by its strict discipline and ample opportunities for healthful physical labor, be a place where full opportunity is afforded to work the alcohol out of the system of those committed. The term of commitment should also be sufficient for such purpose.

Such an establishment should be under the direction of personnel fully competent and trained to ensure the greatest possible progress toward the rehabilitation of those committed to its care.

(4) The cost of these suggestions to be defrayed in the first instance from revenue resulting directly or indirectly to the provincial government from the manufacture and (or) sale and (or) use of alcoholic beverages in the province, and if, and when such revenues should prove insufficient for such purpose, then from the general revenues of the provincial government.

## New Legislation

We recommend that any legislation covering the sale of spirituous, vinous, and malt liquor by the glass, should cover the entire field of alcoholic beverages within the province; that it should provide for the repeal of the present Government Liquor Control Act and all regulations made pursuant to it; and for the automatic cancellation of all beer parlor and so-called "proprietary" club licenses at the end of six months after the proclamation of the new act.

We recommend that new legislation be enacted:

(a) Stating clearly and unmistakably that any license granted for the retail sale of spirituous, vinous, and (or) malt liquors shall have no asset value to the holder.

(b) That any contract purporting to transfer such license from the licensee to any other party shall be entirely null and void and unenforceable as to all its terms and conditions.

(c) That any person, partnership, and corporation, and any servant, agent, employee, director, officer, partner, or substantial shareholder, as may be applicable, of any such person, partnership, and (or) corporation, holding a federal license to operate in British Columbia as a brewer or distiller shall, within one year after the passing of such new legislation, in the case of a person, partnership, and corporation, divorce himself or herself from any and all financial or material interest, direct, indirect, or contingent, whether in any license, licensed premises, or licensee, or in any other financial or material interest, whether direct, indirect, or contingent, whether in any license, licensed premises, or licensee.

## Store Sales

We are recommending that a careful review be made of the retail store methods of sale of liquor with a view of ensuring economy and efficiency in serving the public.

## Distribution Of Beer

We recommend that:

(a) Beer by the glass should be sold in "public houses" licensed for that purpose only,

whether associated with an hotel or not.

(b) Such "public houses" should not have the privilege of selling beer by the carton or the bottle for off-premises consumption.

(c) Light foods, such as sandwiches, potato chips, peanuts, and soft drinks and juices, such as ginger ale, root beer, tomato, orange, and grapefruit juice, shall be available for purchase in such "public houses."

## New Outlets

The bona fide hotel that offers suitable accommodation to the traveler, such as clean, comfortable rooms with adequate sanitary arrangements, dining room, lounge, etc., should be granted licenses to sell beer by the glass in separate quarters in the hotel premises, and to sell all classes of intoxicating liquors with regular meals during ordinary meal hours, and to sell liquor by the glass in a lounge when suitably equipped.

Our decision is that the sale of liquor in any form in restaurants should be restricted to premises especially equipped for the purpose.

We do not recommend that motels and auto courts as such be granted licenses.

We recommend that recreational and hunting resorts be granted licenses to sell beer, wine, and liquor with meals and in their lounges, provided that children and minors are excluded from that part of the premises where liquor is being dispensed, unless accompanied by and with the consent of the parents, and provided that the accommodation generally and the dining and drinking accommodation especially satisfy in every detail the strict requirements that should be laid down generally for all such accommodation, whether urban or rural.

## Law Enforcement

We recommend that a law-enforcement branch of an inspection department be set up, the chief duty of which shall be to ensure strict observance of the law on the premises. These law-enforcement officers shall keep in close touch and cooperate with the local police.

We recommend that it be the duty of the law-enforcement inspector to draw at once the attention of the licensee to any violation of the law observed, and that a verbal warning be given, and a written report submitted to his superior. Should there be a second offense, the licensing authorities shall hold an open hearing, and if the inspector's report is confirmed, the license to be suspended for 30 days; and on a third offense, that the license shall be canceled.

We recommend that before any license is granted or issued, the police authorities of the municipality or district shall be asked to report officially on the standing of the applicant and to file with the licensing authority a complete police record, if any, of all applicants for licenses, and that no one convicted of breaches of the liquor laws of the province or having a criminal record shall be granted a license.

We recommend that in cases where local police authorities decline to endorse a permit, no permit be issued by the licensing authority over such police refusal to endorse until and unless the local police have had an opportunity to report fully to the licensing authority and unless the licensing authority, after receiving such local police report and hearing such other representations as they may consider necessary, are convinced that a substantial miscarriage of justice will result from a refusal to issue such permit.

The effective enforcement of the liquor laws of the province would be facilitated if the provincial authorities, when drafting the new legislation, would call into consultation the prosecuting and police authorities of Vancouver and Victoria and representatives of municipal authorities of the province.

## Club Restrictions

All licenses presently in effect to "proprietary" clubs should be canceled, and club licenses issued only to non-profit clubs incorporated under the Societies Act. Such clubs would be required to have as members only bona fide members in possession of an annual membership fee of not less than \$10. All profits from the operation of such a club must accrue generally to the benefit of the club and be used for the general improvement of its premises and of the general services which it renders. Any license granted to such a club must be operated by the club for its con-

venience and benefit generally, and since the operation of the license of such club will often be closely connected with its catering, a condition of issuing such license should be that club must directly control and operate all catering services which it offers. All such clubs shall maintain dining room, lounge, or reading room and other facilities in adequate proportion to its enrolled membership. The serving of liquor to visitors in clubs shall be limited to such numbers as it is customary grant in clubs referred to above as "bona fide clubs."

## Geographical Distribution

We recommend that when an application is made for the issuance of a license, any type for the sale of intoxicating beverages by the glass, or for the establishment of an additional vendor's store, in any district or area, whether urban, suburban, or rural, in which no license or store is presently located, that such application be widely publicized and advertised in the press in such area, district, municipality, or community. That in cases where objections are filed with the licensing authority, it shall be obligatory to invoke the provisions of the Liquor Control Plebiscites Act, chapter 193 of the "Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1948."

Where a plebiscite is held, the questions submitted shall state in clear and unmistakable language the precise type of outlet and license where a license is required, together with a legal description of the property and the ordinary street number or address.

We further recommend that before any licenses are issued in any suburban area of any city or town, or in any municipality, it shall be mandatory for the licensing authority to notify the municipal and police authorities of the city, town, or municipality in which the area or community is located and for which an application for a license has been received, and to inform each of the municipal and police authorities fully as to all facts pertinent to the application known to the licensing authority.

The views or objections, if any, of any municipal or police authority to whom such application for a license has been referred shall be given full and careful consideration by the licensing authority, and except in unusual and exceptional circumstances the objections of the municipal authorities shall be sustained and the license refused.

We recommend that extreme caution be exercised by the licensing authority, not only when considering and passing on each application for a license, but, which we consider equally important, on the number of licenses granted. We feel so strongly on these points that we would, with due deference urge those charged with the duty of licensing under the new legislation to undertake this work only with extreme caution, particularly during the initial period of such licensing.

We recommend that those applicants for licenses who, with respect to the premises in question, are already operating licensed premises, and who have an unblemished record as regards the law, be given first consideration in the issuing of licenses under any new legislation.

We further recommend most strongly that any applicant for a license whose such applicant has a police record of any sort or regarding whom there is any record of a breach of any liquor law of this province, or against whom the police local to the area for which the license is applied adversely report, or against whom there is or has been an adverse report by the present Liquor Control Board inspection staff, be refused a license, subject, however, to a right of appeal.

We recommend and urge that a decision respecting the issuance of new licenses should not be made hastily, but only after due and careful consideration. In short, we recommend strongly a "go slow" policy in the issuing of licenses, particularly (a) licenses for premises that have not been licensed in the immediate past and (b) licenses for new licensees.

We recommend that any application for licensing person or premises in respect of whom or which no license has hitherto been effect shall be heard by the licensing authority at the hearing held for that purpose, such hearing to be held once per year. In cases where there is reason for re-licensing premises by reason of death of licensee or sale of property or as the case may be, application shall be heard by the licensing authority at a hearing to be held for that purpose once every three months. Such hearings shall be of record.

(i) Notice of all such applications shall be filed with the licensing authority at least 60 days before the next date on which such application can be heard. (ii) Notice of all such applications must be given to the governing authorities local to the area in which the premises are situated in respect of

which the application is made. (iii) Notice of the application, whether for the licensing of premises or for the licensing of a licensee, must be given to the chief officer of all police forces operating in the area in which the proposed licensee applies to operate a licensed premises. (iv) The notice required by subparagraphs (ii) and (iii) above shall be given in such form as may be prescribed by the licensing authority, but such form must be of record, must be served not less than 60 days before the date on which the application in question could next be heard, and proof of such service to be by affidavit in a form satisfactory to the licensing authority. (v) Public notice of all applications, whether for the licensing of premises or for the licensing of a licensee to operate a licensed premises, shall be by public advertisement in a newspaper local to the area or having reasonable coverage in the area in which the licensee will operate; such advertisement to be made not less than 30 days prior to the next date on which such application for license could be heard. (vi) All costs and expenses of such application to be a cost and expense of the applicant. The licensing authority shall make no charge for the hearing.

## Hours of Sale

We recommend that: (a) No sale of spirituous, vinous, or malt liquor be permitted by any licensed premises on Sunday, Good Friday, and Christmas Day. (b) "Public houses" and other premises in which the license is licensed to sell beer by the glass shall close not later than 11 p.m., and shall not reopen earlier than 10 a.m. (c) Hotels in which the licensee is licensed to sell spirituous and vinous liquors by the glass shall close that part of the premises so licensed at 11 p.m., and shall not reopen earlier than 10 a.m. (d) Restaurants which have been duly licensed for the purpose be permitted to serve spirituous and vinous liquors by the glass until 12.30 a.m., and not commence such sale earlier than 7 p.m.

In the case of all premises licensed to sell spirituous, vinous, and malt liquors, or any one or more of them, by the glass, it should be a requirement that liquor served before the closing hour shall not be consumed after the closing hour appropriate to the sort of license in effect.

We recommend that extreme caution be exercised by the licensing authority, not only when considering and passing on each application for a license, but, which we consider equally important, on the number of licenses granted. We feel so strongly on these points that we would, with due deference urge those charged with the duty of licensing under the new legislation to undertake this work only with extreme caution, particularly during the initial period of such licensing.

## Liquor Store Hours of Sale

We recommend that as to government liquor stores, the hours during which such stores may remain open for the purpose of making sales shall continue as at present, except in a metropolitan centre, such as the city of Vancouver or city of Victoria, only one such store conveniently located in the downtown area be kept open until 11 p.m. on each day Monday to Saturday, inclusive, for the purpose of making sales.

We recommend that section 10 of the Government Liquor Act, chapter 192 of the Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1948, be retained intact in any new legislation to provide for government control and sale of alcoholic liquors.

## Infractions

We recommend as follows: (1) It shall be unlawful to employ in or about any licensed premises or person or premises the full age of 21 years. (2) It shall be unlawful for any licensee, his servant, agent, or employee, to permit anyone not of the full age of 21 years to be in or upon any premises where liquor is sold, unless accompanied by a parent or the lawful guardian of such person under the age of 21 years. (3) It shall be unlawful for any person to supply liquor to a person not of the full age of 21 years. (N.B.—The word "liquor" wherever used in the foregoing paragraphs (2) and (3) shall have the definition given to it in section 2 of the Government Liquor Act, chapter 192, R.S.B.C. 1948.) (4) Every licensee shall be held responsible for any and all infractions of the law committed on the premises for which the license is issued, and in cases where the licensee occupies the premises under a lease or as a tenant, the owner of the property shall be held jointly responsible with the licensee for any infraction of the law. (5) It shall be unlawful for any person to cash a cheque on any licensed premises. (6) It shall be unlawful to sell on credit liquor by the glass. (7) In all cases where a license is to premises or as to a licensee is, by reason of any breach of the legislation (including regulations) from time to time in effect controlling and regulating the sale of liquor, suspended by the licensing authority for a period exceeding 30 days or is canceled, or where issue of a license has been refused after due application, any party aggrieved thereby may apply for redress to the Lieutenant-Governor in

Council, subject, however, to the right of the party aggrieved or of the licensing authority to have the matter reviewed by the Chief Justice of the Court of Appeal, who may appoint three judges of that court to hear such review, the decision of whom shall be final.

We recommend that it shall be unlawful for any person holding any position in respect of or connected with the provincial government, or any employee, servant, or agent thereof, any member of the Liquor Control Board or of any other body created by any other legislation for the control and regulation of the sale of liquor, or any employee, servant, or agent of the Liquor Control Board or of any other body created by any new legislation as above mentioned, to hold or to have, directly or indirectly, any interest in any distillery, brewery, winery, or agency handling or representing any distillery, brewery, or winery, or to have or to hold, directly or indirectly, any interest in any licensed premises or licensed business for the sale of liquor.

We recommend that apart from, and in addition to, any penalties imposed in any of the foregoing sections in respect of violation of the Government Liquor Act, or any act replacing it, including any regulations pursuant thereto, the Liquor Control Board, or such controlling and enforcing body as may be created, exercise its power to suspend or cancel a license. Such power of suspension or cancellation shall be mandatory in cases where the licensee, or any of his employees, servants, or agents, admits a minor to the licensed premises, or serves liquor to a minor or to anyone under the influence of liquor, or permits drunkenness, rowdiness, gambling, or disorderly conduct on the licensed premises.

We recommend that no premises be licensed if located near the boundary of any area that has taken advantage of any "local option" legislation to vote against the issue of licenses for the sale of liquor within such area.

## Brewery Audits

We recommend that a complete government-directed audit and investigation be made of the operations and interrelations of the licensed brewery and distillery companies operating in British Columbia and their connections with licensed hotel and beer-parlor operations.

## Liquor Board

We recommend:

(1) A board consisting of not less than three members to be named by the government and confirmed by a majority vote of the legislature. One member shall be named chairman and shall hold office for 10 years. A second member shall be appointed for five years, and the third member for two years. Upon expiration of the term of office of any of the three members, each succeeding member shall be appointed for a term of 10 years. Each member shall devote all his time to the duties of his office as an administrator of the British Columbia Liquor Control Act, and shall be paid an annual salary to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, but which shall be of standard commensurate with the abnormal character of the position, the unusual responsibilities incident thereto, and the risks involved.

Any two members shall constitute a quorum. In case of a vacancy the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may appoint a successor for the unexpired period; any member of the board to be subject to removal for inefficiency, malfeasance, or misfeasance in office, upon specific charges in writing filed with the attorney-general of the province, who shall submit the charges to the chief justice of the Court of Appeal, who, in turn, shall provide for a public hearing before three judges of the Court of Appeal. Each member of the board shall be bonded in a sum of \$50,000 before entering upon the duties of his office, and to subscribe to an oath of office similar to that prescribed for senior officers of the government.

(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Civil Service Act, the Liquor Control Board shall exercise complete control over the appointment, dismissal and discipline of all employees engaged in the administration of the Liquor Control Act.

(3) The board shall report from time to time to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council through the attorney-general, as directed.

(4) The board shall control the operation of all government liquor vendors' stores and receive all applications for licenses for the sale of any or all types of intoxicating liquors and dispose of same in a manner determined by them to be in the best public interest, and shall determine the localities within which vendor's stores or licenses may be located or granted.

(5) We recommend that all the powers or rights of the board be set forth clearly in

the act, and that the right to make regulations be limited to the powers granted in the act and for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the act.

## Special Permits

We recommend that terms of a permit issued to druggists, physicians, dentists or veterinarians, also to hospitals, homes for the aged, or for mechanical or manufacturing or scientific purposes, and as well, wine for sacramental purposes, and the conditions upon which it may issue be clearly defined in the act, and that the permit be required to conform at all times strictly with the terms of the permit and the conditions on which it is issued. We particularly recommend and urge that a term of such permit and condition of its issue be that any liquor dealt with by reason of its issue shall not be resold by the permittee or by anyone on its or his behalf, and that if any such sale is made, all persons responsible for the lawfulness of the sale, and all persons involved in such sale, whether seller or purchaser, be subject to the penalties imposed for selling liquor without a license.

## Nine Different Types Licenses

We recommend several types of licenses, as follows:

(1) Class A hotel license, granting the privilege to sell spirituous, vinous, and malt liquor by the glass with meals in the main dining room during regular and recognized meal hours. Service of spirituous, vinous and malt liquor by the glass in a lounge or room provided for such purpose; sale of beer and ale by the glass in quarters entirely separate from either dining room or lounge.

Class A hotel should be defined as an hotel that caters to the traveling public to the extent of 80 per cent or more of its business.

(2) Class B hotels to have same privilege as the Class A hotels, with the exception that no serving of spirituous, vinous and malt liquor shall be permitted in a special room or lounge.

Class B hotel should be an hotel that caters to the traveling public to the extent of 50 per cent or more of its business. Room service by the glass should be permitted in both Class A and B hotels to transient guests only, but no sales by the bottle, except beer.

(3) Public-house license and proprietary clubs to take the place of the present designated "beer-parlor"; the public-house license to be for the sale of beer and ale for consumption on the premises; the licensee to provide simple articles of food at reasonable prices, such as sandwiches wrapped in cellophane, pretzels, etc., also a limited variety of soft drinks and tomato and fruit juices and coffee. A moderate type of entertainment should be permitted, such as radio, gramophone, but no floor shows to be permitted. No sale of beer by the carton should be made for off-premises consumption.

Public-house licenses should be limited because of the anticipated increase in other forms of entertainment in dining rooms, such as business, and professional men's clubs, golf clubs, mountaineering clubs, tennis clubs, etc. No minors to be admitted to that portion of the club where liquor is served.

(4) Club Licenses—We recommend three types of club licenses: A—For established clubs whose function is service and social convenience of its members, and equipped with full dining room, lounges, recreation rooms, etc., such as business and professional men's clubs, golf clubs, mountaineering clubs, tennis clubs, etc. No minors to be admitted to that portion of the club where liquor is served.

B—Non-proprietary clubs incorporated under the "Societies Act" with bona fide regular membership paying an annual membership fee of not less than \$10 and equipped with dining room and lounge and catering to its own membership. No visitor to be allowed to purchase liquor on his own behalf, but served only as a guest of a registered member. All profits together with all assets of the club to belong to its members. No club of this class to sublet its catering or the sale of liquor to any person whatsoever, but to be wholly owned and controlled and operated by the members.

C—Veterans' clubs which are authorized by one of the nationally recognized veterans' organizations, including the Canadian Legion and the Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans in Canada. These veterans' clubs must be organizations wholly controlled and owned by the membership, operated solely for the benefit of that membership, and profits, if any, be devoted to the improvement of the club's services and premises; sub-letting of catering in dining room or lounge or "farming out" of the privilege of the sale of liquor to be prohibited, and if done, to result in immediate cancellation of the license. These premises shall be equipped with dining room, lounge and other facilities for comfort and entertainment of its members; no visitor to be

allowed to purchase liquor on his own behalf, but to be served only as a guest of a registered member.

All clubs shall keep a complete register of members which shall at all times be available for inspection by police officers and by members of the Liquor Control Board and its inspection and enforcement staff.

A club license of whatever sort should entitle the licensee to sell spirituous liquor and beer by the glass and wine and beer by the bottle.

(5) Restaurants—Restaurant licenses to be strictly limited as to numbers and localities. To secure a license a restaurant shall have been in regular restaurant business for at least one year and be equipped to serve full-course meals at all times; these to be licensed to serve liquor by the glass only, and beer and wine by the glass or bottle in the manner consistent and normal in such cases; mechanical or orchestral music to be allowed, but no floor shows or similar entertainment; licensed restaurants to provide facilities to serve full-course meals without liquor in a section of the premises apart from and separated from that section where liquor is being served; no lounges or bars to be permitted at which liquor is served.

(6) Cabarets or Night Clubs—Here extreme caution must be exercised to prevent abuse of the privilege. This type of license must be limited to locations within the area of close and efficient supervision and not allowed in the outskirts of cities or towns. Liquor to be served by the glass and beer and wine by the bottle with meals and for on-the-premises consumption only.

(7) Resorts—We recommend that licenses to sell beer and wine by the glass or bottle and liquor by the glass for on-the-premises consumption be issued to resorts catering to tourists, hunting and fishing parties, and holiday seekers. Such resorts must be so situated that access from them to a regular licensed outlet for sale of liquor is not convenient.

(8) We recommend that vessels operating on regular schedules in the coast waters of British Columbia and ocean-going vessels calling at British Columbia ports be licensed to sell liquor by the glass in dining salons and (or) lounges. Such vessels must observe the same hours while in British Columbia waters as licensed hotels.

(9) We recommend that railway companies operating regular train service in British Columbia be licensed to serve liquor with meals on dining cars during normal meal hours.

In each category recommended for licensing, care shall be exercised to ensure that in each case the applicant is experienced and competent in the class of business he is operating or proposes to operate. He must be reliable and in person a substantial business man and capable of supplying the major part of the capital required.

All licensees and their employees to be held strictly responsible for the observance of the law and all regulations passed by the board. Any infractions of the law or regulations to be punished by suspension and (or) cancellation of the license, in addition to any fines or imprisonment that may be imposed by local municipal or police authorities.

In granting a license for other than club and restaurant licenses, the board shall take into consideration the number of licenses at the time in existence, and shall limit the number of retail outlets for the sale of liquor in an area, municipality, town, or district to one for each 1,500 population up to 10,000 and above 10,000 not more than one for each additional 6,500.

All premises where liquor is sold for consumption shall be well lighted. No faintly luminous visibility shall be permitted.

## Minors Allowed

In the opinion of your commissioners, section 41 of the Government Liquor Act, chapter 192 of the Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1948, as amended, is "satisfactory" and should be strictly enforced. Many licensees advance as an excuse for serving "those apparently under the age of 21" that it is extremely difficult to judge the age of such persons or to determine when a person is under 21 years of age. This excuse is, in our opinion, without reasonable foundation. However, we recommend that it shall be obligatory on any person whose age is in question to produce to the licensee, or to any person entitled to require such production, evidence by way of a birth certificate or a certificate issued by the Liquor Control Board proving age, in any prosecution for service of liquor to a minor, serious consideration should always be given to the prosecution of the minor for purchasing, having, or consuming, or as the case may be. However, your commissioners feel and urge that primarily the responsibility for compliance with the law regarding serving of liquor to a minor shall always be that of the licensee.

Section 36 of the Government Liquor Act, chapter 192 of the Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1948, provides for issue of permits to persons "desirous of producing or manufacturing wine in the province"; also provides for authority "to store and keep the same in specified premises," and "to sell the same to any wine company in the province engaged in the manufacture or production of wine." Your commissioners report that while they recognize the production of wine as an important part of the liquor question in the province, they find that they have not had sufficient time to secure the technical knowledge to offer specific recommendations in regard thereto, and there is some doubt in their minds whether or not this is pertinent to the order of reference. However, evidence has been submitted that the public have been denied the opportunity of purchasing wines of their choice through the tendency of the Liquor Control Board to limit stocks of imported wines. It has been alleged to your commissioners that some Canadian wines stocked by the Liquor Control Board contain an unusually high alcoholic content, considerably in excess of reputable brands of imported wines. Any inclusions with respect to the purchase by the Liquor Control Board of foreign wines should be only to the extent necessary to comply with federal tariff requirements and popular demand.

We recommend that the study of the subject-matter of this inquiry be further pursued by a commission set up for the purpose. Such study should include among other matters, an analysis of the profits of the various branches of the liquor industry, regarding which evidence has been submitted alleging excessive profits; the equity or otherwise of the present system of sharing with the municipalities the profits accruing from sale of liquor; a more exhaustive investigation into the effects of alcohol on the person and on society; and the more effective treatment of alcoholics.

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## 11 p.m. Closing For Liquor Store Plan

One liquor store in Victoria and Vancouver will be allowed to remain open until 11 p.m. week nights if the provincial government approves a Stevens report recommendation.

The liquor inquiry commission rejected the idea of all-night liquor stores, but felt the metropolitan centres should be able to purchase at night. Otherwise, liquor store hours will be unchanged.

Because the new liquor system recommended would make liquor by the glass more easily available, the commission could see no reason for extension of liquor store hours throughout B.C.

The commission, however, apparently favored a speed-up in retail methods in government liquor stores. It was noted that a person entering a store must pass through three different individuals before receiving the article he wishes to buy.

"This seems to your commission to be an unreasonable cumbersome method of handling the matter, and we are recommending that a careful review be made of retail methods with a view of ensuring economy and efficiency in serving the public," the report concluded.

## CLOSED DAYS

The commission recommended that no sale of liquor of any sort be permitted on any licensed premises on Sunday, Good Friday and Christmas Day.

Here are other recommendations for hours of sale:

Public houses—10 a.m. to 11 p.m.

Hotels with drink-serving privileges—10 a.m. to 11 p.m. (only that part licensed to sell drinks).

Restaurants—11.30 a.m. to midnight.

Cabarets—7 p.m. to 12.30 a.m.

The commission also recommended that liquor sold in licensed premises before the closing hour should not be consumed after the closing hour.

This would end the current practice of ordering a table load of beer just before closing time and sitting there finishing it after closing time.

The liquor inquiry commission would place the responsibility for carrying out these regulations on the licensee, leasee or tenant of the establishment serving the drinks.







## Hawks Again Zeroed

Canadiens Win; Wings Stop Bruins

Detroit 4, Boston 0  
Montreal 2, Chicago 0

Shutouts seem to be coming a little more often these days in the National Hockey League.

Wednesday night Toronto Maple Leafs rode over Chicago Black Hawks 3-0. Thursday night Chicago suffered another whitewashing, this time a 2-0 defeat by Montreal Canadiens. In the night's other game, the league-leading Detroit Red Wings blanked Boston Bruins 4-0.

Detroit's victory extended its league lead to seven points over Montreal, which moved into second spot, one point ahead of the Black Hawks.

In Detroit's third shutout of the season over the Bruins, the Stanley Cup champions were paced by the league's leading scorer, Gordie Howe.

### HOWE GETS TWO

Howe scored his 26th and 27th goals of the season. That, with his 24 assists, gives him 51 points—seven more than Wally Hergesheimer of New York, who has 44.

Howe's first goal came with-out assistance late in the first session. He scored again in the second period after being set up by Metro Prystai. Marty Pavelich had opened the scoring for Detroit in the first period. Tony Leswick the final corner.

### FIFTH SHUTOUT

Detroit goalie Terry Sawchuk, Vezina trophy winner last season, stopped 26 shots while registering his fifth shutout of the season, two of them against Boston.

At Chicago the Canadiens and Black Hawks played through more than two periods of scoreless hockey before Montreal found the range.

McNeil, in garnering his sixth shutout of the season, made 32 saves compared to 13 for Al Rollins in the Chicago nets.

## Six Caps Cut Loose

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Dewey Soriano, general manager of the Vancouver baseball team, today cut off six regulars on last year's roster from his new club.

Soriano, embarking on a plan to bring the pennant to Vancouver, sliced Jesse Williams, Ray Tran, Jim Moore, Reg Clarkson, Jim Keating and Jim Hedgcock.

Big surprise was the axing of Tran, the regular shortstop. He and brother Len, who was held over by the club, still hold the WIL double play record. Williams played third last year but slumped at the plate during the dying weeks of the season. He was relieved by Moore, who also was cut. Hedgcock saw little action for the club last season. Soriano said he would attempt to make deals for the players.

## It Seldom Fails—May Heroes Prevail

Buddy Curtis and George Drake teamed up to take an unpopular two-fight victory over Steve Gob and Carl Engstrom in the tag-team main event of promoter Ken Williamson's three-bout grappling card Thursday at the Victoria Ballroom.

The two villains, Curtis and Drake, captured the first fall by ganging up on Engstrom only to have Gob and Engstrom come back to take the second fall at 12 minutes of the second round.

Then the villains went to work in earnest, employing every foul tactic in the book. Gob was the victim of their evil doings with Curtis doing most of the dirty work.

Curtis had Gob down and was having a great time pulling hair and gouging eyes until Engstrom forgot his place. The popular Swede immediately climbed into the ring to go after Curtis, but was forced back outside the ropes by referee Nick Harris.

Instead of leaving well enough alone, Harris went into one of his talkative moods and was telling Engstrom what he shouldn't do when the sly Drake sneaked into the act and, together with Curtis, lifted Gob nearly up to the rafters before slamming him down.

After this felony, Drake crept back out of the ring and Curtis put the final touches on Gob for the final fall.

But the bout wasn't over by any means. As Harris lifted the villains' arms, signifying victory, Curtis kicked the post-race Gob in the back.

Engstrom, hating to see his partner kicked about like a sack of wet laundry, rushed in and backed Drake up against



EDMONTON'S JOHN DUCEY  
... bat boy, player, umpire, executive.

### DEBT EXTENSION FAVORED

## Council Helps 'Save' Tyees

Baseball may be "saved" again this year following a special "in camera" parley between city council and W. T. Straith, Q.C., representing Victoria Baseball and Athletic Company, Thursday.

### TREECE SOLD, WISNESKI STAYS

Victoria Tyees have completed a deal pending for the past four weeks whereby third baseman John Treece has been sold to the Carlsbad Club of the New Mexico League, general manager Reg Patterson has announced.

Pitcher Bill Wisneski, originally included in the proposed player deal, will remain with the Tyees.

### Rangers Capture Pistol Shoot

South Vancouver Island Rangers pistol club downed RCMP team by 99 points recently in a challenge shoot at the Bay Street Armories.

RCMP, Capital City Revolver Club and South Vancouver Island Rangers will compete in a three-team shoot Feb. 3.

### BRENTWOOD WINS

Brentwood senior "C" men swamped Gordon Head Service 48-14 in a Saanich League contest Wednesday at Lake Hill.

This point will apparently be discussed by the manager and solicitor, as it was not clarified at the special meeting.

A parks committee recommendation Wednesday that the city instruct the solicitor to collect the back debt, resulted in Mr. Straith's appearance on behalf of the baseball club.

Using the word "bankruptcy," Mr. Straith felt there was no use in demanding payment of the debt.

Ald. Skillings objected to this. He indicated, however, he would go along with the proposal if the note was signed by officers of the club.

Tenor of the council discussion was that citizens wanted baseball and effort should be made to keep professional ball here.

Hockey Results  
NEW BRUNSWICK SENIOR  
Montreal 5, Fredericton 1.

QUEBEC SENIOR  
Chicoutimi 4, Shawinigan Falls 2.  
Ottawa 6, Sherbrooke 5.  
Quebec 2, Montreal 3.

QUEBEC JUNIOR  
Montreal Canadiens 3, Quebec 2.

NORTH ONTARIO SENIOR  
Burlington 4, Sault Ste. Marie 3.  
Sudbury 4, Sault Ste. Marie 3.

WESTERN JUNIOR  
Regina 1, Medicine Hat 4.  
Saskatoon 4, Humboldt 4.

U.S. GRID GREATS FACE SERIOUS PROBLEM

## An All-American Dilemma

BY GAYLE TALBOT  
NEW YORK (AP)—About the most serious problem arising out of the sudden demise of the two-platoon football system, as we see it, is what's going to become of these 50 per cent all-American players who have been enshrined during the last two seasons?

Are these fellows to go through the balance of their lives living in a sort of twilight zone, unable to explain to their children and grandchildren the circumstances

### WIL ENTRY SEEN AS SUCCESSFUL VENTURE

## Edmonton's 'GM' Once Bat Boy

By BILL WALKER  
From bat boy to general manager. Briefly that's the baseball life history of John Ducey of the Edmonton entry in the Western International League.

In town for discussions with general manager Reg Patterson of the Tyees, Ducey is an affable 43-year-old Irishman who speaks first of baseball, his true love, and secondly of the growing oil centre of Edmonton and its sports fans.

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## Cougars Surprise Stamps in Corral

### RANGERS MAY TEST QUEBEC'S NHL REACTION

NEW YORK (BUP)—Manager Frank Boucher of the New York Rangers said today there was a possibility the club might play some home games in the Coliseum at Quebec City next season.

Boucher said the Rangers had a problem arranging dates at Madison Square Garden, and that it might be a good idea to test Quebec City's support of NHL hockey.

He said this could apply to playoff games, if any, this spring, as well as for some New York home games next season.

"But if it came to pass, I doubt if Rangers would play more than 10 games there," he said. "Of course, the other teams in the NHL might have a heck of a lot to say about it. I don't know whether they'd go for a trip to Quebec instead of New York."

The Quebec Coliseum can accommodate 16,000 fans.

### LINE-UP CHANGED

## Henry in Debut With United

Anxious to get back on the winning road after eight weeks of inactivity, Victoria United will have a juggled line-up Saturday when it meets North Shore at Macdonald Park at 2:30.

Tied with North Shore for second place in the Coast Soccer League standings, United will go all out in the crucial game.

United will debut one new player and present five regulars at new positions.

The new player is Herman Henry of Duncan, well-known to city fans as a member of the Duncan Native Sons, formerly in the Victoria and District Association. Henry will be at left fullback.

Bill McAllister will be in goal, fronted by the new partnership of Henry and Bill Hope. Veteran Murray Speller will be at right halfback with Denny McGee at the other flank and Harry Carruthers at centre half.

Biggest change on the forward unit finds Wally Milligan shifting from centre forward to inside left. Joe Robbins moves up from his usual fullback spot to take over Milligan's centre slot. Ray Wilkinson will be the other inside and Cedric Robb and Bernie Clarkson will be



## ON THE OUTDOOR FRONT

With ROY THORSEN

First definite steps were taken Thursday night that will lead to the union of lower island sportsmen and outdoor groups.

It's an organization to be known as the Lower Island Sportsmen's Association . . . and is being formed for the purpose of getting south island clubs united to tackle all major problems that arise, such as combating legislation and big business in moves that will hurt outdoorsmen.

Wil Wilson, president of the Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association, was greatly pleased with the fine response to the idea of amalgamation. It blossomed from little talks with outdoors broadcaster Lee Hallberg.

Inaugural meeting was held in the British Public Schools Club. Represented were:

Thorsen Wilson and secretary George Douglas of the giant Victoria angling club; Bruce Winsby (secretary) and George Laird and Fred Hughes of the Victoria Fish and Game Protective Association; Jim Menzies (first vice-president) and George Hank (president) of the Cowichan Bay Salmon Club; Russell Lyall (Head Ranger) and Charlie Thom, of the South Vancouver Island Rangers, Inc.; George Farmer, president of the Victoria Gun Club; D. M. Trew and Frank Porter of the Victoria Snowbird Ski Club; Kenneth R. Bishop (president) and W. C. Brown, of the Esquimalt and District Salmon Club, and Dave O. Scott, North Saanich Rod and Gun Club.

Lake Cowichan and Cowichan (Duncan) fish-game clubs and the Salt Spring Island Club were not represented, although invited. The invitation is still open.

### General Approval Expected to Follow

All representatives present said they would have to get final sanction to join such a group from their memberships. However, most felt the move would meet with general approval of the estimated 4,000 outdoorsmen involved.

Plan for the association is to have it formed of delegates of the eight clubs and others that might wish to join.

Matters any member-club wishes help to solve would be dealt with at a meeting of the larger organization—providing a collective voice for sportsmen.

It was emphasized that the new club does not aim to interfere with the operations of the island affiliated fish and game body.

"If worked properly, I can see where such an organization as this will be a valuable asset," said Lyall.

George "Red" Laird, president of the island body for three years, saw the union as means of awakening lower island sportsmen's groups.

### A Louder Voice for Sportsmen

He said that for years the voice from this end of the island has been weak—"and it's about time something was done to revive things."

Wilson said the union would do away with lone clubs taking up the fight—which in the past has ended with defeats for sportsmen.

Farmer, of the skeet-trap club, saw in the move a splendid way to give clubs a better understanding of each other. Most clubs were very hazy about the make-up of neighboring units, he said.

Winsby, who is also on the executive of the B.C. Zone Council, agreed to act as chairman of the constitution committee. He will be aided by Hallberg, Ray Ritchie (Victoria fish-game proxy), Scott, Porter and representatives of the other clubs in making up a rough draft of the constitution. The draft will be presented to each club membership for ratification. Next meeting of the association will be Feb. 12. Douglas agreed to act as pro-tem secretary.

The gathering wished to put Wilson at the helm, but he stated he'd have his hands full with other commitments.

It was pointed out that the association would take up the cudgels not only in the sportsmen's picture, but also in the field of outdoor recreation generally.

Wilson suggested a \$5 fee from each club to get the movement started. He thought that in any disputes that crop up, all clubs should help to pay the bills involved.

### RACE RESULTS

#### SANTA ANITA

First Race—	4.00	\$2.00	\$2.40
Stalling Duck (Quarles)	4.30	3.30	
Boy Magic (York)	4.30	3.30	
Lovin' You (Zufelt)	4.30	3.30	
Time, 1:12 3/4			
Second Race—	\$2.30	\$1.20	\$6.40
Enlight (Lips)	10.30	6.40	
Secos (Neves)	10.30	6.40	
Cocotte (Peterson)	10.30	6.40	
Time, 1:13 1/4			
Third Race—	\$100.00	\$25.10	\$15.10
Burns (Smith) (Bert)	4.25	3.30	
Hadraini (Rouss)	4.25	3.30	
Checkmate (Westover)	4.25	3.30	
Time, 1:11 3/4			
Fourth Race—	\$10.00	\$5.00	\$4.00
Moby Dick (York)	4.30	4.50	
Dancy Honey (Trenor)	4.30	4.50	
Bull Ramon (Trenor)	11.20		
Time, 1:12 3/4			
Fifth Race—	\$10.00	\$4.00	\$4.10
Mr. Coblen (Lips)	3.60	3.10	
Lord Harding (Parnell)	3.60	3.10	
Chlorine Doll (York)	7.40		
Time, 1:11 3/4			
Sixth Race—	\$3.10	\$2.20	\$2.10
Charles (Archer)	2.70	2.10	
Hoot Regard (Leblanc)	2.70	2.10	
Decorated (Longden)	2.70	2.10	
Time, 1:10 1/4			
Seventh Race—	\$5.00	\$1.00	\$2.20
Reighs Bull (Archer)	4.40	3.40	
My Chief (W)	4.40	3.40	
Blue Trumpeter (Guertin)	4.40	3.40	
Time, 1:10 1/4			
Eighth Race—	\$175.00	\$61.40	\$16.30
Battle Count (Longden)	9.00	3.60	
Friend Ed (Shumaker)	9.00	3.60	
Time, 1:54 1/4			

#### FAIR GROUNDS

First Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Var (Scourlock)	11.20	4.00	
Putura (Bert)	11.20	4.00	
Time, 1:10 1/4			
Second Race—	\$12.00	\$6.00	\$5.20
San-Charlie (Kade)	5.00	4.00	
Merry Sam (Jenkins)	5.00	4.00	
Time, 1:13 3/4			
Third Race—	\$15.00	\$6.00	\$5.40
Woe Rader (Coffman)	4.20	3.00	
Destiny (Kane)	4.20	3.00	
King Diver (Bacetti)	4.20	3.00	
Time, 1:14 3/4			
Fourth Race—	\$21.00	\$9.40	\$6.60
Court Trade (Duhon)	5.00	2.80	
Del Tex Maid (Usery)	5.00	2.80	
My Eubelin (Baley)	5.00	2.80	
Time, 2:23 3/4			
Fifth Race—	\$9.00	\$5.40	\$3.40
Montevideo (Scour)	5.20	3.40	
Galway Bay (Bacetti)	5.20	3.40	
Time, 1:47 1/4			
Sixth Race—	\$9.20	\$3.80	\$3.00
Payto (Perranolo)	3.40	2.60	
Prince Marque (Karin)	3.40	2.60	
Delivery Boy (Karin)	3.40	2.60	
Time, 1:12 1/4			
Seventh Race—	\$20.00	\$8.00	\$4.40
Shrewd (Scourlock)	6.00	3.00	
Mail From Home (Karin)	6.00	3.00	
Time, 1:12 3/4			
Eighth Race—	\$20.00	\$7.00	\$4.20
Platorette (Zanelli)	6.00	2.60	
Mr. Dink (Hooper)	6.00	2.60	
Tri Joe (Karin)	6.00	2.60	
Time, 1:13 3/4			
Ninth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.20	\$3.40
Corinne T. (Karin)	4.40	3.20	
Craigie (Perranolo)	4.40	3.20	
Time, 1:49 3/4			

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## Montreal to Host New Invitational Tee Meet

### Bolt Leads Sub-Par Belters

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (AP)—Tempestuous Tommy Bolt rapped out a six-under-par 66 to take the lead at the end of the first 18 holes of the \$10,000 San Diego open golf tournament Thursday.

The 34-year-old pro from Houston and Maplewood, N.J., noted for his temper as well as his spectacular golf, goes into today's round leading a grand procession of par-belters who made a shambles of the 72 figure at the San Diego County Club.

Exactly 32 players shot under the par-72, 6,600-yard layout.

One shot back of the pace setter is slender Jerry Barber of La Canada, Calif., with 67. Tied at 68 are four formidable challengers—Lloyd Mangrum, Jim my Demaret, Jim Turnesa and Doug Ford.

Bolt put together nine-hole scores of 32-34 in what he called "one of my better rounds of golf."

Al Mengert of Spokane, Wash., and Bob Duden of Portland, Ore., were among 18 players who shot 71s.

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### TIME OUT! JEFF KEATE



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A blood drive sponsored by the "Student Christian Movement" will be held at Victoria College on Feb. 3 in competition with eight small colleges across Canada, chairman Marc Bell announced Thursday.

They are: Carleton College, Ottawa; Brandon College, Manitoba; Regina College, Saskatchewan; Mount Royal College, Alberta; St. Dunstan's University, Prince Edward Island; Dalhousie University, Nova Scotia; University of New Brunswick, and Sir George William College, Quebec.

The drive will also be in friendly competition with the University of B.C. and is in cooperation with the Red Cross Society.

Students interested in drama and debating may have an opportunity to perform before a Vancouver audience.

UBC faculty suggests a one-act play be staged yearly by college students for the mainland undergrads. He also said that debates and more athletic competition between the two universities are desirable.

Due to the resignation of Ted Horsey, men's undergraduate society president, an election to fill the position will take place Wednesday.

These days most people work under pressure, worry more, sleep less. This strain on body and brain makes physical fitness easier to lose—harder to regain. Today's tense living, lowered resistance, overwork, worry—any of these may affect normal kidney action. When kidneys get out of order, excess acids and wastes remain in the system. Then backache, disturbed rest, that "tired-out" heavy-headed feeling often follow. That's the time to take Dodd's Kidney Pills. Dodd's stimulate the kidneys to normal action. Then you feel better—sleep better—work better. Ask for Dodd's Kidney Pills at any drug counter.

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## 266 ELEPHANTS TOO MANY Washington Ready For Greatest Show

WASHINGTON (BUP)—Washington's version of "the greatest show on earth" is all ready for action next Tuesday.

Planners of the two-and-one-half-hour inauguration day parade have been struggling with a directive from the president-elect to keep the parade "simple and dignified"—and a natural inclination to pull out all the stops.

They had to turn down an offer from Nevada to shower 10,000 silver dollars on parade watchers—and an offer from Florida to do the same thing with oranges.

The planners also vetoed a suggestion to mount each of the 269 Republican congressmen on elephants, too undignified they said. There will be three elephants in the march—including one named "Miss Burma" who drinks a quart of whisky every day.

Because his civil defense jurisdiction area has been shrunk to the point where he feels he has little left to look after, Roger Peachey, civil defense coordinator and former commissioner of B.C. Provincial Police, has resigned.

Mr. Peachey had been head of the "cushion area" stretching between here and Ladysmith, including such centres as Duncan and Chemainus. The new proposed boundary for his area cuts across the Malahat. "Now," he said, "there would be too little to do."

Mr. Peachey admits that he has been asked by provincial authorities to hold his resignation in abeyance until consideration has been given to further reorganization of civil defense boundaries.

Mayor J. C. Wragg reported interviewing three provincial government departments located here, and said they were in favor of office space in the proposed city hall.

Snow clearance cost the city \$300 last week, aided by warm winds and rain. Travelers reported Duncan streets the cleanest on Vancouver Island after last week's two snow storms.

Council on Monday moved to protest and oppose any move to transfer Queen Alexandra Solarium from Mill Bay to Victoria. The Solarium is a "Cowichan institution" said Mayor Wragg.

'Cracksmen' Foiled In Chemainus Raid

Classed by RCMP as "rank amateurs" at safe-breaking, burglars failed in their efforts to crack open the strong box in the office of Urton's Hardware Store at Chemainus Wednesday night.

Police said the dial was knocked off, but the safe was not opened.

However, the burglars stole a number of wallets, pocket knives, two wrist watches, alarm clocks and other articles, none of any great value.

Former City Teacher Dies in Nova Scotia

Miss Grace Dean Burris, former teacher at Victoria High School and King Edward High School in Vancouver, died recently in Upper Musquodoboit, Nova Scotia.

She was born in Nova Scotia in 1877, came to B.C. in 1903, and taught here until she retired in 1936.

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Now, with chlorophyll, Amm-i-dent provides the perfect tooth paste—protects against decay and mouth odors, as no tooth paste has done before. Get Amm-i-dent chlorophyll Tooth Paste today!



### WIDE ACCEPTANCE FOR AMM-I-DENT TOOTH PASTE AND POWDER

Almost immediately after its introduction, the Amm-i-dent formula won wide recognition amongst all those who are constantly studying the causes of tooth decay and the best methods of preventing it.

What greater proof could you ask that Amm-i-dent Tooth Paste or Amm-i-dent Tooth Powder is the dentifrice for your family. And this same anti-decay formula is in the new Amm-i-dent. If your children have had too many cavities, be sure to get Amm-i-dent right away. Help them to prevent cavities every time they brush their teeth, by the regular use of Amm-i-dent.



### NOW 3 KINDS

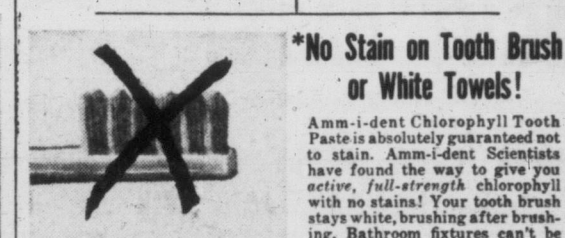
You can get Amm-i-dent's ammoniated formula in three effective forms. Regular Amm-i-dent Tooth Paste, now used by millions of people. If you prefer powder, there's Amm-i-dent Tooth Powder. And now the great new Amm-i-dent Tooth Paste with Chlorophyll.



### Glorious, Refreshing "Springtime" Taste!

Your first brushing with Amm-i-dent Chlorophyll Tooth Paste will tell you why chlorophyll is called the "springtime" ingredient.

That clear, cool taste is as refreshing as fresh spring-water! How it wakes up your mouth—



### \*No Stain on Tooth Brush or White Towels!

Amm-i-dent Chlorophyll Tooth Paste is absolutely guaranteed not to stain. Amm-i-dent Scientists have found the way to give you active, full-strength chlorophyll with no stains! Your tooth brush stays white, brushing after brushing. Bathroom fixtures can't be discolored with green stains. Towels, clothes wash right out to snowy whiteness. No more ruined towels! No more green brushes! It's chlorophyll with no stain!

### CHLOROPHYLL TO KILL MOUTH ODORS!

Now, at last, the magic action of chlorophyll has been combined with ammoniated anti-decay ingredients to make the perfect tooth paste—Amm-i-dent Tooth Paste with Chlorophyll. Regular daily use of Amm-i-dent Chlorophyll Tooth Paste kills all mouth odors, instantly and completely. And best of all, this amazing new tooth paste is guaranteed not to stain—as other chlorophyll products do.

New Amm-i-dent Chlorophyll Tooth Paste is the tooth paste for the whole family! Certainly you want your family—particularly the children—to get the benefit of ammoniated anti-decay ingredients. And you parents want full-strength, active chlorophyll to kill oral bad breath. New Amm-i-dent gives you both—and no stain.

Yes—here is the perfect tooth paste. It cleans your teeth to a sparkling smile. It reduces tooth decay. It destroys mouth odors. And it tastes wonderful!

Get Amm-i-dent with Chlorophyll today. Compare Amm-i-dent's low price—three sizes—33¢—59¢—89¢—against other chlorophyll tooth pastes. It's a big saving.



### Don't Kiss Romance Good-bye!

Today there is absolutely no excuse for giving offense. The powerful magic of full-strength, active chlorophyll in Amm-i-dent can kill mouth odors instantly and completely, with regular daily use. You can be sure of sweet, fresh breath always.

Amm-i-dent Chlorophyll Tooth Paste destroys mouth odors on contact. Use new Amm-i-dent often. It's the perfect way to start an evening-out—with your mouth tasting fresh and clear and your breath sweet and clean.



**AMM-I-DENT Full Strength CHLOROPHYLL**

AMMONIATED TOOTH PASTE WITH **33¢ 59¢ 89¢**

**At Last! A CHLOROPHYLL TOOTH PASTE THAT WILL NOT STAIN**

**Mc & Mc**

Leaders in **HARDWARE and HOME FURNISHINGS**

1400 GOVERNMENT ST.

Store Hours: 8.30 to 5.30 Daily. Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Phone G 1111

## 1/2 Price CLEARANCE Luggage!

Floor Samples—slightly shop-worn—greatly reduced to clear!

### Sale! Ladies' 21-Inch Hanger Cases

Beautifully fitted cases... rayon lined, with hangers for skirts, suits, dresses. Several colors in the group. Regular 31.30 to 33.95. Special, each **14.99**

**Reg. 18.25 Cases** — Ladies' 18-inch over-nite cases. 2 only. Special, each **9.12**

**Reg. 35.25 Week-Enders** Ladies' 21-inch cases in maroon leatherette, rounded corners. Special, each **17.62**

**Reg. 20.40 Metal Case** Man's 28-inch metal-bound case, brass corners. 1 only **10.20**

**Reg. 39.50 Fortnighters** Ladies' 26-inch cases in black leatherette... leather bound. 2 only. Each **19.75**

**Reg. 7.95 Utility Cases** 2 only, in black fibreoid, lightweight. Each **3.97**

**Reg. 32.65 Hat Boxes** Hat and shoe boxes in black leatherette. 4 only. Each **16.32**

**Regular 39.50 Cosmetic Cases** — 2 only, in black leatherette, with mirror. Ea. **19.75**

**Reg. 20.25 Lady's O'Nite** Blue rayon lined... black leatherette covered. Each **10.12**

**Reg. \$26 O'Nite Case** 1 only, in durable black leatherette. Special **\$13**

**Reg. 73.45 Gladstone** Full-sized man's Gladstone with fitted hangers. 1 only. Special **36.72**

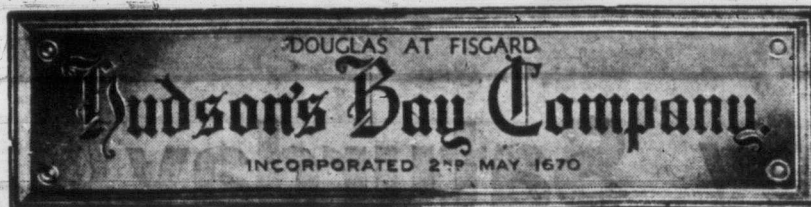
**Reg. 1.50 School Cases** Durable simulated leather. Special, each **59c** Reg. 1.25. Special **49c**

**Regular 3.95 Binders** Look-leaf binders in cowhide, brown or black. Special, each **1.99**

**Reg. 2.39 Music Cases** In black or brown leatherette. Special, each **99c** Sporting Goods, Main Floor

Free Parking Space — Entrance from Cormorant Street





Store Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Wednesdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Phone E 7111

Strongly Woven . . .

## Wabasso Cotton Sheets

**388**  
Each

72"x100" snowy white sheets . . . durably made for years of hard wear! . . . Hemstitched and plain hems . . . Stock up your linen cupboard now at these saving prices. Slight flaws.

81"x100". Each **398**

## 42" Pillow Cases

First quality, fine American cotton with plain hems . . . White. Fresh, and so lovely on your bed. Each

**78c**

## Colored Sheets Pillow Cases!

72"x108" sheets. Each **399**

81"x108" sheets. Each **439**

Pillow cases. Each **88c**

Pepperell, service-weight sheets in four popular shades: Blue, Peach, Yellow, Aqua! Slight flaws.

## 9 a.m. Special

Personal Shopping Only

### 72" x 99" Cotton Sheets

Regular 3.49 each. Twin bed size, first quality White sheets. Limit 4 to a customer. Each **199**

## Finest Quality Cotton Sheeting

### White Cotton Sheeting

72" wide. Yd. **1.28** 81" wide. Yd. **1.38**

Heavy quality cotton sheeting, bleached snowy White! Widths for both double and twin beds, specially priced for this sale event.

### Colonial White Sheeting

63" wide. Yd. **1.29** 81" wide. Yd. **1.55**  
90" wide. Yard **1.79**

First quality, bleached White cotton sheeting at really exceptional prices. Buy now.

Circular Pillow Tubing—42" size . . . fine American cotton tubing. Yard **87c**

### Unbleached Sheeting

54" wide. Yd. **89c** 72" wide. Yd. **1.15**

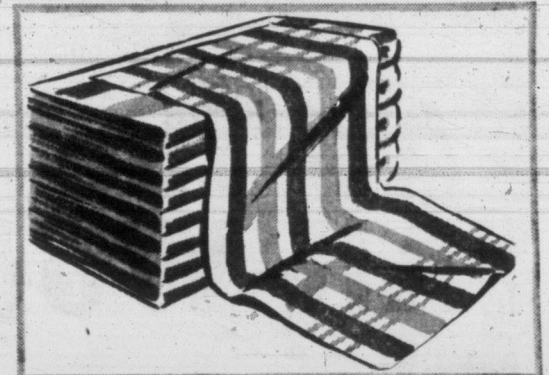
64" wide. Yd. **1.09** 81" wide. Yd. **1.29**  
95" wide. Yard **1.79**

Save substantially on first quality unbleached sheeting. Make your own sheets at home.

### Unbleached Sheeting

72" wide. Yd. **1.16** 81" wide. Yd. **1.26**

Heavy quality unbleached sheeting at outstandingly low prices. See free hemming offer!

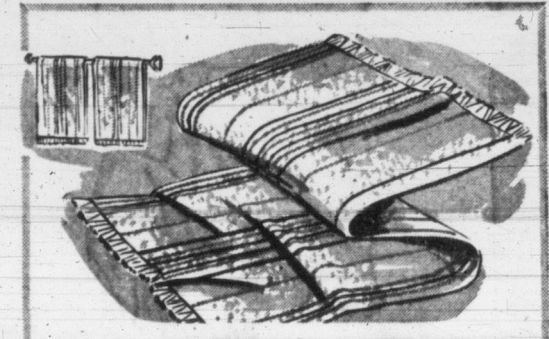


## Towel Ensembles

36" x 70" Bath sheet. Each **449** 16" x 28" Guest towel. Each **89c**

22" x 42" Bath sheet. Each **179** Wash cloths. Each **35c**

Caldwell's first quality towel ensemble finished with the new Velva-Sorb process for quicker drying! Boldly striped in Black, Red, Blue, Green and Gold!



## Terry Towels

18"x32" multi-color stripe on natural background! Thick, thirsty terry towels that wear so well. Add gay note of color to your bathroom. Each **37c**

## Tea Towelling

Extra-wide 22" multi-color stripe tea towelling! First quality, pure linen, that wears "like iron." Yard **68c**

BAY Staples, Street Floor

## Wonderful Caldwell Velva-Sorb Towels

- See them demonstrated
- Super-absorbent towels

• Pair of monogrammed Caldwell bath towels! Draw will be held at 4.30 each day, Saturday, 17, to Saturday, 24, except Wednesday. See our demonstration! You may be a winner!

## Free! All Types Of Sheeting Hemmed

This wonderful offer is open Saturday only so make arrangements to have your sheeting hemmed at the time of purchase. Don't miss it!

BAY Staples, Street Floor

# January Sale of Bedroom Suites!

• Discontinued Models

• All First Quality Construction!

• Extra Special Prices!

Reg. 199<sup>50</sup> Suite in Light Finish Dresser, Chiffonier, Bed **149<sup>50</sup>**

Reg. 299<sup>50</sup> Lacewood Suite, Double Dresser, Chiffonier, Bed **229<sup>50</sup>**

Reg. 199<sup>50</sup> Bleached Mahogany Bed, Double Dresser, Chiffonier **159<sup>50</sup>**

Reg. \$495 Mahogany Poster Bed Suite in Five Pieces **\$395**

Reg. 299<sup>50</sup> 4-Piece Bleached Walnut Suites. Special Price **229<sup>50</sup>**

## Oddments in Bedroom Furniture

Reg. 79.50 Lined Oak Dressers, each **59<sup>50</sup>**

Reg. 79.50 Lined Oak Chiffoniers **59<sup>50</sup>**

Reg. 69.50 Walnut Vanity, Bench **49<sup>50</sup>**

Reg. 79.50 Walnut Dresser Base **59<sup>50</sup>**

Save Time! You Can Complete Your Contracts for Credit Right in the Furniture Department!

BAY Furniture, Fourth Floor

The Bay Leads in . . .

## Open Stock Dinnerware!

Famous names such as Myotts, Wedgwood, Crown Ducal, Santa Anita, Royal Doulton and Simpson's, as well as many, many others. Buy a complete dinner set or add individual pieces from open stock.

### A—Myotts Estelle Pattern

Semi-porcelain dinnerware with Cream ground, floral trim in Orange, Yellow, Red and Grey. Matching border trim. Economical, attractive. Cup and Saucer **60c** Salad Plates, **40c**  
Bread Plates, **30c** Dinner Plates, **60c**  
Other pieces, **20c to 2.50**

### B—Simpson's "Belle Fiore"

English semi-porcelain dinner service with Cream body, vividly decorated with multi-colored floral design in all-over pattern. Cup and Saucer **65c** Salad Plates, **45c**  
Bread Plates, **35c** Dinner Plates, **65c**  
Other pieces, **25c to \$3**

### C—Crown Ducal "Glendale"

English semi-porcelain dinnerware with White body, gadroon edge and floral spray trim. Daintily designed and serviceable for family use. Cup and Saucer **60c** Salad Plates, **50c**  
Bread Plates, **40c** Dinner Plates, **65c**  
Other pieces, **25c to \$5**

### D—Royal Doulton "Pomeroy"

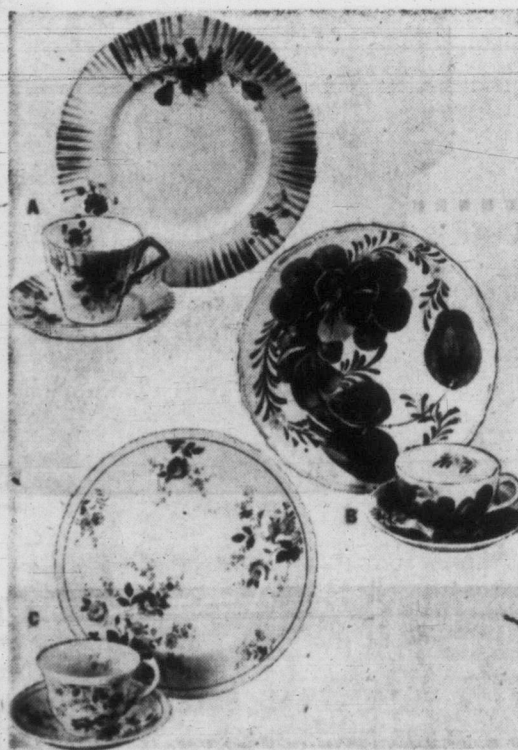
Top quality English semi-porcelain dinner service with overall floral print in attractive shade of Blue. A set you'll be proud to own! Cup and Saucer **1.15** Salad Plates, **85c**  
Bread Plates, **60c** Dinner Plates, **1.15**  
Other pieces, **60c to 7.65**

### E—Wedgwood "Wildbriar"

Fine English earthenware in embossed shape, with floral trim in Brown and Yellow. Useful as family dinner service or for special occasions. Cup and Saucer **1.35** Salad Plates, **95c**  
Bread Plates, **75c** Dinner Plates, **1.15**  
Other pieces, **1.45 to 9.15**

### F—Gay California Pottery

Imperfects with small flaws that will not impair serviceability or attractiveness. Grey, Lime, Green, Blue, Yellow, Ivory, Brown, Dubonnet. 16-Piece Set, **7.95** Bread Plates, **50c**  
Cup and Saucer **1.10** Salad Plates, **80c**  
Dinner Plates **1.30**  
Other pieces, **70c to \$6**  
BAY China, Street Floor





# At The Bay Saturday! Men's All-Wool Worsted Suits

## Saturday Values In Fine Quality Children's Wear



### Children's Sleepers In Pastel Shades!

**1<sup>69</sup>** pair

Cosy, washable sleepers with drop-seat. Fleece-lined for extra warmth... Just right for cold winter nights! Maize, Pink, Blue. 1, 2, 3, 4.

**Rayon Satin Jackets**—Neat, hard wearing, warm! Knitted collars and cuffs. Zipper front. Assorted shades. 2-6x. Each **2.98**

**Washable Denim Jeans**—For tots of 2, 4 and 6. Designed especially for hard wear. Dirt-resisting navy. Pair **1.66**

**White Cotton Blouses**—Hardy little blouses for tots of school and pre-school age. Sizes 3, 4, 5, 6. Each **\$1**

**Flannelette Crib Sheets**—First quality sheets with Pink or Blue borders. 30"x45". Pair **1.69**

**Cotton T-Shirts**—Sturdy cotton interlock shirts in Yellow, White, Blue, Maize. Sizes 2 to 6. Each **98c**

**Part-Wool Blankets**—Subs in 50% wool baby blankets. Generous 36"x50" size. Satin bound edges. Pink. **2.88**

**Wrapping Blankets**—Washable cotton blankets. Subs with minor flaws. 30"x36" size in Pink only. Each **98c**

**Corduroy Jackets**—Fully lined with zipper fronts, knitted collars and cuffs. Plain colors. 2, 4, 6. **3.98**

**Sturdy Denim Jackets**—Durable denim jackets with button front and plaid trim. Blue. 2, 4, 6. Ideal for play. **1.66**

**Washable T-Shirts**—Cotton interlock shirts with short sleeves. Blue, Maize, White. Sizes 2, 4, 6. Each **79c**

**Flannelette Pajamas**—For little girls of 2, 4, 6... Soft, warm pajamas in Maize, Pink and Blue. Pair **1.98**

**Cotton and Rayon Socks**—Children's elastic-top socks in Pink, Blue, Red, Green. 4 pairs for **\$1**

**Rayon Satin Pillows**—Regular 1.98! Quilted satin pillows in Pink or Blue... For carriage or crib. Each **1.25**

BAY Children's Wear, Second Floor

- Single or Double-Breasted!
- Yarn Dyed Wool Worsteds!
- For Men and Young Men!

First quality tailoring in pure wool worsted suits... pin stripes, cluster stripes, checks, pic and pic and others. Regulars, tails and shorts, 35-46. Cash Price. **39<sup>98</sup>**

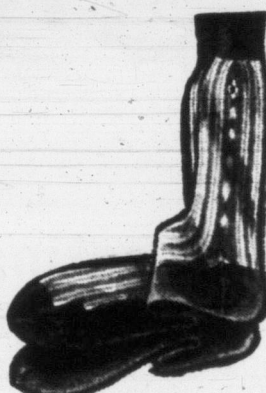
**Sport Coats, Blazers**  
Wool tweed and saxony sport coats in Grey, Beige, Brown or Blue, Navy blazers. 36-44. **22<sup>98</sup>**

**\$5<sup>00</sup>** Down  
**6<sup>22</sup>** Monthly

**Wool and Rayon Slacks**  
Wool and rayon gabardine! Crease-resistant, well tailored, good fitting! Blues, Grey, Brown, Beige. Sizes 29 to 44. Pair **9<sup>98</sup>**

BAY Men's Clothing, Street Floor

**Sale!**



### Reinforced Nylon Toughie Socks

**98<sup>c</sup>** Pair

Reinforced heel and toe for added wear! Specially treated to absorb perspiration! Blue, Green, Grey, Wine, Navy. 10 1/2-12.

**Warm Cotton Combinations**—Snug fitting combinations knit from fine quality cotton yarns. Cream color. 38-44. Pair **2.95**

**Genuine Fur Felt Hats**—Snap-brim or off-the-face style with leather sweat band. Grey or Fawn. 6 7/8 to 7 3/4. Each **2.95**

**2-Pocket Sweater Coats**—Serviceable, hard wearing coats. Buttoned front. Brown and Navy leather. Sizes 38 to 44. Each **3.50**

**Nylon Reinforced Work Socks**  
Hard wearing woollen socks reinforced with nylon at heels and toes. Grey. Standard size. Pair **69c**  
BAY Men's Furnishings, Street Floor



### Boys' Durable Well-Cut Longs

Smartly-styled trousers, ideal for school wear! Sturdy rayon and wool gabardine... Grey, Blue, Brown. Size 10. Pair **3<sup>99</sup>**  
Sizes 12 to 18. Pair **4.99**

**Boys' Ankle Socks**—Cotton ankle socks, nylon reinforced at heel and toe. Stripe pattern. 8 1/2-10 1/2. Pair **59c**

**Cotton Dress Shirts**—Long-sleeved cotton shirts in plains and stripes. Broken sizes, 11-14 1/2. **1.95**  
BAY Boys' Wear, Street Floor

### Men's Sturdy Shoes

**Leather Oxfords**—Tan balmoral with double soles, stitched toe cap. Brown moccasin and Black blucher styles. Tan and Brown. 6 1/2-12. Black, 7-11 EEEE. Pair **9.95**

**Leather Oxfords**—Blucher style in Black or Brown, semi-brogues in Brown. Composition soles, rubber heels. 6-12. Pair **5.95**

**English Oxfords**—Sample sale of leather brogues, moccasin toes and monk straps. Brown, Black. 7-9, B, C, D, collectively. Pair **10.95**  
BAY Men's Shoes, Street Floor



## Our Great Fabric Sale Continues!

- Imported Fabrics From England! America!

Saturday, January 17, the last day of the Bay's terrific fabric sale! Imported suiting, cottons and taffetas all at greatly reduced prices! Choose your material now for suit, coat... new Spring or Summer dress!

BAY Dress Goods, Second Floor

**Turn the Page for More Bay Values**

### Hosiery Fashion Show!

See the newest hosiery shades for Spring '53 displayed in the Hosiery Department, Saturday, January 17, at 2.30 p.m. Ask for your lucky number! You may win one of the 100 pairs of nylons to be given away FREE!

BAY Hosiery, Street Floor

### Strolling Fashion Models

See the newest styles for Spring displayed by our six strolling models, Saturday from 12 noon to 3 p.m. on the Second, Main and Lower Main Floors.







## BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

If you meet a friend on the street today, and he greets you with "Is it wet enough for you?" don't jump to the conclusion he is commenting on the weather.

It is likely he will be referring to the Stevens Commission report.

It is a certainty that, for one day at least, the weather will take second place as a conversational topic.

It is also certain that the second-guessers will now have a field day. All the people who didn't submit recommendations and suggestions to the inquiry commission will now state, loudly and clearly, what the commission should have done.

The report recommends that beer parlors give way to "public houses," with food and music.

It seems to me that this provides a golden opportunity for some enterprising and imaginative citizen to create a real family-trade "pub" in the classic British mold.

I've never had the privilege of visiting an English public house, but Mr. Favorite Wife says she can hardly wait to see the new pubs gather around the dart game or the shove-ha-penny board, while the local patriarchs nod quietly over an endless game of dominoes.

Who will be the first to bring a real "bit of old England" to the city which boasts of being England overseas?

The Stevens commission has made an honest, earnest and efficient effort to do something about our cob-webbed liquor laws.

Let's hope the government takes it from there. The legislators will need courage to act in the face of the die-hard opposition which is bound to develop, but there is a wonderful opportunity for our elected representatives to put aside party interests and form solid, sensible legislation.

Our switchboard operator reports the following conversation yesterday afternoon:

Voice on phone: "Is Mr. Monte Roberts in?"

Operator: "I am sorry, he has gone for the day."

Voice: "Well, could I speak to Mr. Punch Roberts, then?"

Operator: "Punch is a dog."

Voice: "Yes, but he is in?"

Operator: "I'm afraid not."

Voice: "Thank you, I'll call tomorrow."

I can hardly wait.

A constituent has come forward with a slogan for this newspaper, to compete with the radio's claim of "tomorrow's headlines tonight."

He suggests we tell the world "For tomorrow's news today, read The Times yesterday."

Headline of the day: "PAPER TO SELL ENGRAVERS."

By the head, or by the pound?

## TOPICS OF THE TIMES

J. S. L. Muir, district chief ranger of the Ancient Order of Foresters from Nanaimo, officiated this week at a joint installation of officers of Court Triumph, Court Northern Light, Court Maple Leaf and Court Victoria.

The ceremony was held Wednesday night at Woodsworth Hall.

History of Rotary and phases of service work undertaken by the international organization were outlined for members of the Victoria Rotary Club at its meeting Thursday.

Taking part in the presentation were Percy Scourrah, Robert Phillips, Leonard Hobbs and John Gough.

Frederick McLeod, 3065 Surrey Place, was fined \$250 in city police court today for driving a car while his ability was impaired by alcohol.

McLeod was originally tried on the more serious crime of drunken driving. Magistrate Hall, however, did not consider the evidence warranted a conviction, but found McLeod guilty of the lesser count.

Several agronomists from this area are expected to attend the annual conference of the B.C. Agronomists' Association to be held on Jan. 28 at the University of British Columbia. It was learned today.

Dr. Hinson Hill, principal horticulturist of the Experimental Farms Service of Canada, Department, Ottawa, will be chief conference speaker. Mr. Hill is expected to visit Victoria after the conference.

Robert Henson, 332 Ker, was fined \$7.50 and \$2.50 costs in Saanich police court Thursday when he pleaded guilty to a charge of carrying on a business as a bricklayer without being the holder of a trades license.

New officers for the Victoria Centre, St. John Ambulance Brigade, will be elected at the annual meeting next Tuesday at 715 1/2 View Street at 8 p.m.

E. Goodall, a member of Alpine Club of Canada, provided the program for the weekly meeting of Oak Bay Kiwanis Club Thursday night at Oak Bay Beach Hotel.

Mr. Goodall described a climbing expedition last summer in the Rockies near Banff. His talk was illustrated with colored slides.

Civil defense training in Metchoshin will be held Monday at 8 p.m., in Metchoshin School.

Part two, basic training, will be offered to all interested citizens of the district, officials said today.

## Dealers Fined, Chided

Held Contributors To Delinquency

Magistrate Henry C. Hall in city police court today branded two second-hand dealers convicted of buying goods from youths under 18 years as "the worst type of contributors to juvenile delinquency."

Martin Boas, operator of the Island Trading Co., 1415 Government, found guilty on two counts, was fined a total of \$100 or 30 days in jail.

Harry Israel, proprietor of the Reliable Furniture Store at 541 Johnson Street was fined \$50 or 15 days in jail.

Speaking to Boas, the irate magistrate said:

"Your conduct was highly improper. It should have been perfectly obvious to you that the boys you were dealing with were under age."

"If juveniles could not sell articles they steal they wouldn't take them... and it is people like you who are helping to keep up crime by youths."

GRAVE CHARGE

Magistrate Hall added "It is very fortunate for you that you are not charged with possession of goods, knowing the same to have been stolen."

At the conclusion of Israel's trial, Magistrate Hall said his remarks in the Boas case applied here also.

Charges were laid under the city's Second-Hand Stores By-Law, which makes it illegal to buy articles from any person under the apparent age of 18 years.

Charges were laid by Detectives William Andrews and Deans Blackstock.

Evidence of two juvenile boys was that they had sold Boas an electric toaster, a waffle iron, an electric kettle and a fishing reel for a total of \$13.

One youth said he told Boas he was 17, but asked to be put down as 21. The other said he told the dealer he was 19. Boas claimed both had told him they were 21.

The detectives took the two youths to the store. Det. Andrews said that when Det. Blackstock asked Boas why he had bought things from boys so young, the accused had replied: "I mustn't have had my glasses on."

One of the youths said that Boas gave him the price he wanted for an article when he threatened to take it elsewhere.

Before Boas had completed his defense, he told Magistrate Hall he had been in business here for 30 years and "this is my first offense."

Israel bought the kettle from one of the boys for \$5. The boy said he had sworn he was 21. Accused said he had known the lad two or three years and Magistrate Hall said "and that is all the more reason why you should have known he was under age."

On sheets second-hand dealers must turn into the police station recording all purchases, the two youths in question were listed as 21, under "apparent age."

Control Squadron Meets New Chief

Flt. Lieut. William H. Martin took over command of Victoria Aircraft Control and Warning Squadron, RCAF, at an impressive ceremony Thursday night in the Begg Building headquarters.

Mr. Martin, who has been in the reserve squadron since its formation, was succeeded by Lt. P. D. P. Holmes, DFC, Flt. Lieut. Martin came to Victoria from Galt, Ontario, in 1947, and has been active with the reserve squadron since its formation.

During the Second World War he commanded radar units in Northern Scotland and in the Middle East.

Press Road Scheme

A special roads committee of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Vancouver Island will interview Public Works Minister P. A. Gagliardi, Jan. 27, chamber officials said today.

The group will present a joint road program for Vancouver Island.

AN AGE OF GREATNESS

Elizabeth was Queen! Elizabeth was regal, and ready to be forgiving—when forgiveness suited her purpose! She entered London in triumph, and in triumph went to the Tower, where she had been a prisoner. Even those who had been her most severe jailers she forgave. But



'This Is My Job'

Ald. Margaret Christie, centre of one of City Council's biggest storms in years, points determinedly to "her baby"—city health and welfare building—saying she was elected to do health and welfare work, not parks administration, and has had many telephone calls from people supporting her stand. (Times Photo.)

## Negligence Charged In Fatal Accident

Inquest-Jury Blames Car Driver In Death of Three-Year-Old Boy

A coroner's jury today brought in a verdict of negligence against Bernard B. Ross, 2267 Pacific, in a traffic accident which resulted in the death of a three-year-old boy on the night of Dec. 28.

The victim, Michael Chudleigh, 1025 Bank Street, was killed when a car driven by Roy Chudleigh, father of the boy, was in collision with a car driven by Mr. Ross at the corner of Fort Street and Foul Bay Road.

Injured in the fatal accident were Mrs. Chudleigh, mother of the boy, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Chudleigh, grandparents, who were passengers in the car.

Police said they will study a transcript of evidence given at the inquest before saying if any charges will be laid.

Mr. Chudleigh, still lame from injuries suffered in the accident, testified he was driving south on Foul Bay Road and stopped at the Fort Street intersection.

"I looked to my right and left and saw no car," he said. "As I was proceeding across I suddenly saw a car coming directly for me."

He said the car was going "fast, perhaps around 60 miles an hour."

20 MILES AN HOUR

Mr. Ross, whose testimony was heard two weeks ago, told the jury that he was proceeding west on Fort Street at about 20 miles an hour.

He said when he got to the intersection, a car suddenly shot out in front of him from Foul Bay Road. He said it was impossible for him to avoid hitting the Chudleigh vehicle.

Sooke Trustees Deny Any Schools To Be Scrapped

Sooke district school trustees are perturbed by the report that, with the passage of a \$300,000 building-by-law Saturday, existing school accommodation may be scrapped.

"Let's get this straight," said Trustee J. S. Williams today. "No permanent building, economically repairable, will be removed to make room for new construction. No money will be spent on any school site until the board is convinced the additional space is required."

He said Mr. Wicks had been approached because of the present unsettled conditions on the board.

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The union wants the 12 1/2-cent hourly increase recommended by a conciliation board which met last October to consider a union-shipyard dispute.

Board Refused

Yarrows Ltd. and Victoria Machinery Depot have turned down a suggestion from the Boiler-makers' Union Local 191 (TLC) that an arbitration board settle its current wage dispute.

"We invited Labor Minister Lyle Wicks to act as chairman of the board, but he referred us to the Labor Relations Board," a union official said today.

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# Rebellious Council Challenges Mayor

Chief Magistrate, Stung by Epithets, Won't Budge on Chairmanship Issue

Ald. Waldo Skillings told Mayor Claude Harrison not to be "pig-headed" Thursday in one of the noisiest, desk-thumping, finger-pointing sessions in City Council history.

The battle began over Ald. Margaret Christie's removal as chairman of health and welfare committee.

Twice in vain during the regular council session she tried to speak but was ruled out of order by the mayor. The main fracas occurred during a meeting of the committee of the whole council.

Throughout the verbal free-for-all—touched off by Ald. Don Smith, who said later he wanted to "smoke the matter into the open," Mayor Harrison held to his contention that the matter was a committee one, not a council problem.

The council disagreed. At one point Skillings told the mayor he was not "a dictator in this council." Asked to withdraw, he said: "I said like a dictator."

Ald. Skillings moved the chair be not sustained in its ruling and the mayor refused to put the motion, at one point remarking: "You're all out of order." He called frequently for city solicitor Arthur Patton to give legal interpretation.

"You have forced my hand on it Ald. Smith and I give you my answer," said the mayor toward the end of the fracas.

Mayor Appeals to Solicitor

"I've no alternative but to move the ruling of the chair be not sustained," said Skillings. "I second it," said Ald. Smith.

The mayor insisted the solicitor check the Municipal Act. When Solicitor Arthur Patton read a portion Ald. Skillings, Smith and Arthur Dowell cried out: "That has nothing to do with it."

At this point several persons spoke at once.

"Your decision has been challenged," said Ald. Skillings. "Will you be seated," demanded the mayor.

"I will not be seated," Ald. Skillings answered, shaking his finger at the mayor.

"You will please sit down," said the mayor indicating the seat with his glasses.

"I will not," replied Skillings. Interjected Smith: "I move Acting-Mayor Frank Mulliner take the chair."

"I want my motion put," said Skillings.

"I don't have to," said the mayor.

Ald. Christie Takes Floor

Ald. Christie: "You twice refused to let me talk. I don't know why. You told me in your office you had the right to appoint committees but we could appoint our own chairman."

"I don't know anything about sewers, ditches, drains and parks but I do know my welfare work," she continued. "It would all be so easily settled without this furore."

Ald. Skillings said he had been in full accord with Mrs. Christie on the change until he heard the mayor outline his reasons for committee shuffles at a Rotary luncheon, and state-the-matter "should stand."

He said it was accepted practice for council to accept the mayor's recommendations.

"It is subterfuge—eyewash," declared Ald. Skillings, to say the committee can appoint its own chairman.

"The easiest thing for you is to reverse your decision for harmony. We're starting off again on the wrong foot. Harmony can be brought back if you put Mrs. Christie on the chair."

"Would You Mind Listening?"

Order was again called at this juncture and Ald. Smith wondered why. He said no one paid any attention to the points of order "or anything else."

"Would you mind listening?" queried the mayor.

Interrupted Ald. Smith: "I don't think Mrs. Christie is deserving of the treatment of the past few weeks. The manner in which she's been handled is a disgrace."

"I think you should withdraw that," said the mayor.

No. 12—Not to Marry

Ald. Skillings advised he would put his motion that the chair "be not sustained" in the ruling at the next regular council meeting.

Protect Trees

A new pre-tree cutting policy was established by City Council Thursday.

Aldermen approved a recommendation of the parks committee that no park or boulevard tree be felled without joint signature of the city manager and parks administrator, together with endorsement of parks committee and City Council.

## RUN-AWAY PAIR ASKS TRIAL BY MAGISTRATE

John M. Smith and Jack Howe, 17-year-old Victorians, elected trial in city police court today when they reappeared on charges of breaking-and-entering, and theft. They were remanded to Wednesday.

The pair broke out of the juvenile detention home Wednesday night after Magistrate H. C. Hall had told them he was transferring them to open court, but later gave themselves up.

Annual Check Of Gas Fittings Recommended

Recommendation that all city gas installations be examined annually and that rooming-house landlords be required to check daily on the welfare of tenants was included today in a verdict of accidental death by a coroner's jury probing a double gassing here Tuesday.

Mysterious bruises found on the body of one of two elderly women who died in the early morning tragedy were explained by Detective Roy Maitland as being "probably received in trying to get out of bed in a semi-conscious condition."

Downstairs resident Neil Williams, 21, 544 Dallas Rd., discovered the accident which took the lives of Mrs. Lillian Sparham and Mrs. L. G. Sefton.

Shortly before 9.30 a.m. Tuesday he reported to his mother that the two women who lived above them had not taken in their milk, which was unusual. He investigated, found an open stove gas jet and turned it off.

TREATMENT FAILS

Police and firemen who were immediately summoned found Mrs. Sparham already dead and in the next room Mrs. Sefton was unconscious. She was given oxygen treatment and removed to St. Joseph's Hospital where she died at 11.10 Wednesday.

Dr. E. L. McNiven who was called to the scene remarked that it was "peculiar" that one lady should be living and the other dead for "quite a long period." He also disclosed that superficial bruises found on the body of Mrs. Sefton "were not readily explainable under the circumstances."

When asked by Coroner E. C. Hart whether the marks could have been caused by a fall when overcome by gas, Dr. McNiven replied that he believed "they did not all occur from one fall."

The window of the small room in which Mrs. Sefton lay was found to be open an inch or two, which may have accounted for her longer survival from the fumes, the doctor later stated.

John Fraser, assistant gas supervisor for the B.C. Electric, said he was called in to examine the two-ring gas appliance. He said it was in good condition except for a loose gas cock. He said it was loose enough to be opened by jarring and could have been opened by a dressing-gown sleeve.

He also testified that it was a 25-year-old fixture with no way of adjusting the wear and should have been replaced.

"We are at present working with the city on a by-law to govern these installations. Unless we are called we cannot inspect premises. At present there is no control to govern gas installation. Anyone can put them in," he said.

ASK THE TIMES

Q.—Does an owl move its eyes?—A.W.

A.—No.

Q.—What was the origin of roller skating? 2. How did figure and dance roller skating begin?—Miss E.S.

A.—Hollanders used wheeled skates on roads in the 18th century. In 1863 J. L. Plimpton, New York, invented the four-wheeled skate. Later the Raymond skate, with ball and cone bearings, spread the pastime.

2. Before 1900 U.S. pros took their newest type, the "action skate," to Europe and demonstrated their skill in dancing with it. Later English skaters demonstrated their refined dancing technique in the U.S. This led to a wide extension of contests in the art.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily. All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest.

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## Sales Offer Bargains At This Time of Year

By PENNY SAVER

Everywhere you go these days you are confronted with great banners advertising articles for sale at slashed prices. Of course, it's a grand opportunity for all of us to buy the little extras we have probably been wanting for a long time. On the other hand, and it is highly improbable, wouldn't it be rather nice if these sales were a little premature and started in early December instead of now?

After that rather pointless philosophy I guess I'd better tell you about an article I saw on sale this morning.

Priced amazingly low at 95 pennies were colorful fancy cotton sweaters for children—size two to six. The sweaters were styled with long sleeves and elasticized necks.

For you, mother, while you're in buying the young sprout a sweater, are the plastic sectioned holders for nylons. They sell for 49 pennies.

I invested in one not so long ago and I was amazed at what a difference it made in keeping the drawer in a reasonably elderly fashion.

Just new in are the gold metal purses with corde tops and handle. They are shaped in either an oval or a square and while they look small and neat they will hold considerable "loot."

The purses are really smart and should be teamed up with your winter outfit.

I know you'll be thrilled when you see the washable quilted housecoats for little girls. These housecoats, in sizes from eight to 14, are zippered right up the front. You can imagine how thrilled any kiddy would be with such a design.

These colorful housecoats, trimmed in black, are priced at \$7.98.

Found a sweater this morning that was made of wool and fashionably styled.

The sweater, which comes in a variety of colors, is fashioned with turtle-neck and bat-wing sleeves.

Price tag was marked at \$3.98.

## AS WE LIVE

## Double-Dealing Male Must Make Decision Now

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK, PhD

When a man breaks up with one girl and then continues to date her while talking about marriage to another girl, both girls are likely to get their fingers burned. That is what is in store for this girl:



Hurlock

(Q) "I'm 19 and my boy friend is 23. Before we were going steady he had another girl. He told me he broke with her because she ordered him around. He lives in another town but calls me once a week and comes to see me every other week. This other girl keeps calling him up and asking him to take her out, which he does. He says he doesn't want to hurt her. He talks to me about marriage but says I'll have to keep on working after we are married. What burns me up is while I'm slaving away here, he's spending his money on her. Should I ask him to make a decision."

(A) Make him see that he can't have both of you at the same time. If he wants to date another girl while he is away from you, let him know that you have no intention of staying home alone.

Furthermore, let him know that you have no intention of marrying him under the conditions he has outlined to you. It is quite all right for a bride to work to help her husband get established and to help supply the home with the things they want. But, it is not all right for the bride to make this sacrifice so the man she plans to marry can court another girl.

If he wants to spend his money on another girl, that is his business. But let him know that you have no intention of going steady with him or considering marriage with him under such conditions. He must choose between the two of you and not play with you both.

Elizabeth Hurlock is a consulting psychologist. Write her in care of this newspaper for free advice.

## TODAY'S RECIPE

## LAYERED PRUNE BARS

Crust—1 cup sifted all-purpose flour, 1/2 cup granulated sugar, 1/2 cup butter or margarine.

Top layer—1 cup cooked prunes, 2 eggs, 1 cup brown sugar (packed), 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract, 1/2 cup sifted all-purpose flour, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon, 1/2 cup shredded coconut or chopped nuts.

Crust—Blend together flour, sugar and butter until crumbly. Pat firmly in bottom of greased 9-inch square pan. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 10 to 15 minutes, until very lightly browned. Meanwhile prepare top layer.

Top layer—Cut prunes from pits into small pieces. Beat eggs, and gradually beat in sugar. Blend in vanilla. Sift together flour, salt, baking powder and cinnamon, and blend into egg mixture. Stir in prunes. Turn into pan over hot baked crust and sprinkle with coconut. Bake about 35 to 40 minutes longer. Cool in pan. Cut into bars. Makes 18 bars (3x1 1/2 inches).



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## In Style Show



Mrs. Jan Joslin modelled fashions for spring at a showing at the Hudson's Bay Company yesterday afternoon. Shown is the slim, wrapped coat, a brand new silhouette with outstanding button detail and three-quarter-length sleeves with wide, turn-back cuffs. The fabric is pure wool and angora fur, lending a fluffy appearance to the coat. It is in pastel pink, accessorized with black gloves and handbag, and pink felt hat trimmed with ostrich plumes. Also in the show were Mrs. Nona Damaske, Mrs. Gertrude Sparrow, Mrs. Marguerite Doherty, Mrs. Ellen McConchy and Miss Gloria Berry.

Royal Oak—A program of films will follow the regular meeting of the Royal Oak High School PTA on Monday at 8 in the Royal Oak High School.

Happy Valley—Mrs. A. Fraser will give a demonstration of finger painting following business meeting of Happy Valley PTA to be held on Monday at 8 in the school.

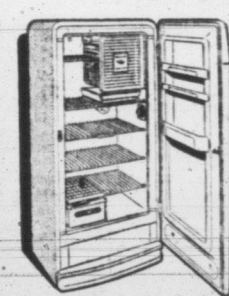
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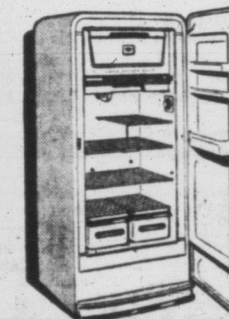
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## WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

### 17-Year-Old May Reduce By Not Eating Fat Foods

Q. "I am anxious to know if I am overweight and how much. Some people (mostly older ones) say that I am not, but I feel that I am, and younger ones at school call me 'fatty.' I am 17 years old and about 5 feet 2 inches tall. I weigh 125 pounds. My measurements are: Bust, 36 inches; waist, 27 inches; and hips, 37 inches.

A. You are a little overweight. You should lose about 10 pounds. Your measurements are in very good proportion. Do not use a faddish diet. Just leave off desserts and cream and fried foods and gravy and fat meat and nuts and soda fountain concoctions and candy. Eat fresh fruit instead of desserts and be sure that you get a well-balanced diet. Do not take seconds and eat fresh fruit or drink buttermilk or skimmed milk or tomato juice when you eat in-between meals.

Q. "I have spots on my lip and under my chin. They are not bad enough for plastic surgery. I want to know how to cover them. They were left after the weights on the outside of the feet. Drag the legs apart, pushing the weights along the floor. Continue.

Q. "I am 19 years old and weigh 110 pounds. I am 5 feet 4 inches tall. My problem is sagging skin. My bust sags something awful. The top of my legs are also very flabby. I would appreciate your help very much."

A. You are underweight. Gain 10 pounds. Also be sure that you eat a well-balanced diet. Take bust-firming exercises. You sound as though you need general exercises. Swimming is one of the best toners, especially for under-weights. Why not join a swimming class this winter and watch your figure bloom by spring?

Q. "I look every day for your answer in the paper. I am on the slim side except for my thighs and arms. Is there some simple exercise I can take?"

A. You have probably already seen my recent column on the upper arm. For developing the upper leg remember to hold the back erect when going up or downstairs. If you do this you give your leg muscles a good workout. Also do the following exercise: Sit on the floor with your legs separated, knees straight. Place weights under your chin. They are not (books or flat irons) against the insides of each foot. Push the feet together, keeping the heels on the floor. Now place

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### Visitor From South Africa

Holidaying at the Empress Hotel is Lady Harris, who accompanied her husband, Sir Arthur Harris, Marshal of the Royal Air Force, and formerly known as "Bomber" Harris, on a trip from their home in Cape Town, South Africa. The Queen's New Year honor lists conferred the title of baronet on the former organizer of huge raids over Germany during the Second World War. Continuing their extended tour of North and South America, Sir Arthur and Lady Harris will leave early next week for New York, then go to South America and return to the United States before leaving for their home in South Africa. Sir Arthur is now managing director of the South African Marine Corporation.

### From Dutch Lake to California

Friends in Victoria will be interested to know that Miss Dorothy Bell and Miss Grace McGaw, former newspaperwomen who have been holidaying in Vancouver from their Dutch Lake ranch, near Clearwater, B.C., are now en route to southern California, where they will spend some time before returning to the interior of British Columbia. While in the south, Miss Bell will be the guest of Hollywood actress Fay Holden and Miss McGaw will visit her niece, Mrs. Ross Haines, and her husband. The travelers expect to return to B.C. about the middle of February.

### CLUB WOMEN'S NEWS

**Social Gathering**—Afternoon branch Women's Auxiliary, St. Martin-in-the-Fields, enjoyed a social afternoon recently when gifts were distributed among members. Refreshments were served.

**Parcel to Korea**—Mrs. Ronald Lee presided at meeting of South Salt Spring Women's Institute held in Fulford. Treasurer's report showed a balance of \$164. A parcel will be sent to Ray White, a boy of the district who is in Korea. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Lee.

### Thanks Extended Esquimalt Chapter

At meeting of Esquimalt Chapter, IODE, letters of thanks were read from Lampson Street School, for a donation to the milk fund and also from two students at Esquimalt High School for financial aid toward their studies.

Mrs. O. B. Ormond presided and reports were read from Mrs. T. S. Floyd on a large box of gifts forwarded to the adopted school at Kyuquot, Mrs. J. Bryant on gifts and smokes sent to an adopted veteran hospital and from Mrs. A. Oakley for hampers delivered to needy families.

Mrs. J. L. Ford was nominated national councillor. It was decided to hold the annual meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Auchinvol, 2740 Beach Drive, on Feb. 9. Mrs. Floyd is convener of nominations.

**Canadian Items**—Educational readings by Mrs. Evelyn Stewart were a highlight of meeting of Canadian Daughters' League, No. 5, held recently. These readings included a resume of outstanding Canadian women of 1952 and the essay of John Sanderson, 17-year-old high school winner of the Rotary public speaking competition. Mrs. Gladys Jasper presided and it was decided to hold election and installation of officers in March in order not to conflict with the provincial convention at Clearbrook in April. A Valentine tea and games afternoon was arranged for Feb. 12 in the Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Company store, also tentative plans made for a rummage sale.

**Party Meeting**—Members of Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute held their annual party meeting for the 21st year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hankin. Mrs. H. B. Peterson presided and named the following conveners: Agriculture, Mrs. H. Silman; home economics, Mrs. T. Flewin; citizenship, Mrs. K. Blogg; social welfare, Mrs. J. Hutchison; program, Mrs. J. S. Peterson; publicity, Mrs. W. Allen. Parcels were sent to boys in the district, now in Korea, and following the business meeting, members exchanged gifts and enjoyed games. Gifts were also presented to Mr. and Mrs. Hankin and to retiring president, Mrs. J. Flatman. Refreshments were served.

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### OF PERSONAL INTEREST

#### For Marguerite Zaferis

Miss Stephanie Scott and Miss Ruth Hall were co-hostesses at a shower recently in the Arnot Street home of the latter, to honor Miss Marguerite Zaferis, bride-elect of this month.

The guest of honor was presented with a corsage of roses and many gifts in a decorated clothes basket. Mrs. J. Zaferis, mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. L. Firth, mother of the groom-elect, received corsages of pink carnations.

Invited guests were Mesdames L. Elson, J. Gavin, S. Gilbert, F. Zarelli, M. Jordan, V. Ragen, P. Onischuck, B. Dillon, D. Laurie, C. Foster, F. Hall; Misses D. Zaferis, D. Brown, G. Neilson, V. Nevelle, R. Hall, B. Scott, S. Zaferis, B. Hall, T. Price, M. Munroe, M. Miln, M. Hotchkiss, P. Coome, N. Lowry, B. Ploss, K. Cave, V. Morrison and E. Neilson.

#### To Honor Memory of Bard

A special "Burns' Night" dinner has been arranged at Oak Bay Beach Hotel on Saturday evening. A program of Scottish music will be presented and there will be dancing.

Mrs. Norma Macdonald will have as her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Roberto Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Jock Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. E. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. M. Selinger and Miss Marlene Vance.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan MacBride will have at their table, Mr. Alfred Stern, Miss M. Compton, Capt. and Mrs. R. W. MacMurray and Mrs. Jack Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McMillan will be there with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young.

A no-host party will include Miss Beth McGillivray, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Lamont, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wright and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Crawford of Winnipeg.

A foursome will be Mr. and Mrs. W. Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lee, Orchard Avenue, will attend with their house guest, Mrs. Thomas Swan, Calgary, who arrived in the city yesterday and plans to stay for a few days.

In another party will be Mr. and Mrs. George Stuart, Miss Tina McDonald, Mr. John McDonald and Mrs. J. A. Baxter. Many other reservations have been made.

#### Feted at Pre-Nuptial Party

Miss Betty Anderson, bride-elect of next month, was guest of honor at a shower last evening when Miss Mary Hoyt, Blackwood Street, entertained.

Red roses, and gifts in a miniature school, in compliment to the groom-elect who is a teacher, were presented to the bride-elect. Her mother, Mrs. A. C. Anderson, and Mrs. Cris Boel, mother of the groom-elect, received rose corsages.

Guests were Mrs. K. M. Bennett, Mrs. S. Johns, Mrs. McRoberts, Mrs. S. Ludlow, Mrs. A. B. Ireland, Mrs. A. Quan, Mrs. F. Collins, Mrs. I. Cullen, Mrs. C. Richards, Mrs. A. Vorshovsky, Mrs. R. Williams, Mrs. J. Kellie, Mrs. R. Anderson, Mrs. C. Boel, Mrs. R. Goatcher, Mrs. D. Munro, Miss Beatrice Broadley, Miss Reta Quan, Miss Maxine Baird, Miss Joy Bennett, Miss Charlotte Quincey, Miss Bernice Harvey, Miss Pat Popham, Miss Eleanor Anderson, Miss Cathy James and Miss Alyce Weicker.

Hon. Mr. Justice and Mrs. H. I. Bird crossed from Vancouver this week and will be in this city for a short time. They are staying at The Angela Hotel.

### School Children To Receive Cards

At meeting of Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, IODE, it was decided in accordance with a suggestion made by Dr. G. F. Amyot, that each school child receiving milk should be given a card bearing chapter's name.

Mrs. T. G. Clarke, regent, was nominated for national councillor; Mesdames B. Smith, G. Warren and Clarke, for provincial councillors.

Annual meeting of chapter will be on Feb. 17 at 12:30 in YWCA. Next knitting meeting will be held at home of Mrs. F. Hillard, 2995 Westdowne Road, on Jan. 26 at 8. Mesdames G. Ellis and T. McNeill were appointed to nominating committee and several letters were read from recipients of food parcels in England.

It was reported 17 children in three families received toys during festive season, also four pairs of sheets to two of these families were donated by chapter.

**Four New Rooms**—Members of St. Joseph's Hospital Senior Ladies' Auxiliary were shown through the new diet kitchen, coffee shop, dressing room and children's wards of the hospital following the business meeting at which Mrs. T. Taylor presided.

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### CLUB CALENDAR

Ladies' Guild, St. John's Anglican Church, parish hall, Monday at 2.30.

Victoria Municipal Chapter, I. D. E., Monday at 7.30, headquarters.

Lake Hill Women's Institute, Monday at 2, Quadra Street hall. Short talks on arts and crafts of different lands. Women's Benefit Association, Review No. 1, K. of P. Hall, Monday at 7.30 p.m., social evening.

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### Ceremony Performed at Naden

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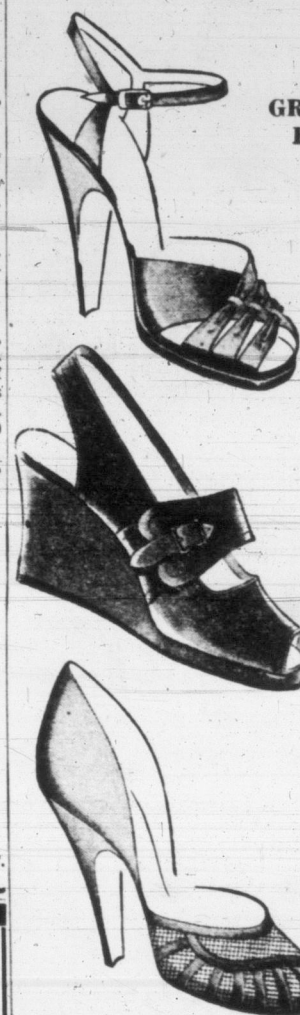
The bride wore a light blue tulle with red hat and a corsage of matching roses. Her only attendant, Sub. Lieut. Honoria Starks, chose a grey suit. Best man was Lieut. John March.

The newlyweds are honeymooning in Harrison, B.C., where they will make their home.

Oak Bay—H. S. Hurn, director of Community Drama Department, will speak at meeting of Oak Bay High School PTA, Wednesday at 8.15, in school auditorium.

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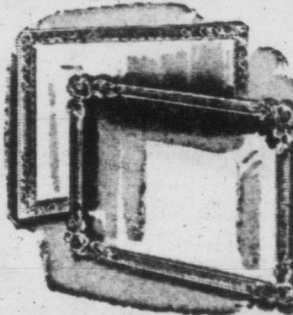
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## City Breaks Precedent To Aid Drama Festival

City council Thursday unanimously approved a grant of \$1,000 toward the Dominion Drama Festival and voted eight to one to allow Ald. Percy Scurreh \$250 expenses, as city delegate to a sanitary institute congress.

By a vote of six to five council approved expenditure of \$910 for advertising in Island Events, a weekly publication.

W. T. Straith, Q.C. chairman of the local committee of the Dominion Drama Festival Association, said a \$16,500 budget was required in connection with the festival to be held in Victoria this spring.

"A precedent is set—we are now making grants," commented Ald. Don Smith, referring to council's "no grants" policy of 1952.

Mr. Straith said in addition to the 100 participants, hundreds of persons would come to the city as tourists during the festival.

Ald. Robert Macmillan opposed expenditure of \$910 for Island Events stating it was "an out-and-out grant," and not payment for advertising space.

"This is not a grant," declared Ald. Scurreh, "it's value for money received."

He stated the advertising value to the city was "one of those intangibles."

Ald. Waldo Skillings recommended that instead of \$250 for expenses, Ald. Scurreh be paid at the usual council rate of \$20 a day for the first day and \$15 for each succeeding day, while attending the Sanitary Institute Congress at Hastings, England.

"If there's going to be a lot of controversy I'd just as soon forget the whole thing," remarked Ald. Scurreh. "I just object to a lot of controversy over a lousy \$250. I'm not pleading for a bit of money."

Mayor Claude Harrison supported the \$250 expenses, stating Ald. Scurreh would be out of pocket at that. Ald. Skillings said no alderman should be out of pocket and could submit expenses after the trip.

When council learned Ald. Scurreh would be in Europe during the time of the congress, they asked him to change his itinerary in order to attend the congress.

The 1951 census showed 85.3 per cent of the population in Canada was Canadian-born.

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## Six Drama Groups Seek to Represent B.C. in Festival

Six drama groups will compete for the honor of representing British Columbia in the Dominion Drama Festival to open here May 4.

Trials will be held in the B.C. regional drama festival in Vancouver February 23-28. John Allen of London will adjudicate and choose the best play as a possible entry in the festival.

Entries are: Victoria Theatre Guild, "The Madwoman of Chailot"; Victoria St. Luke's Players, "The Holly and the Ivy"; New Westminster Vagabond Players, "Bell, Book and Candle"; Vancouver Repertory Players, "They Knew What They Wanted"; University of B.C. Players' Club Alumni, "Yokone"; and Vancouver Little Theatre Association, "Tovarich."

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(A PLUS) "O. HENRY'S FULL HOUSE" (Odeon) — Bowling to the success patterned by the short stories of English writer Somerset Maugham in "Trio" and "Quartet," Hollywood's 20th Century Fox, five directors, 12 top stars combine under producer Andre Hakim to tell right well five outstanding works of the beloved American short-story writer, O. Henry.

Because O. Henry's pen tickled his world by means, chiefly of a literary "twist" it is extremely difficult to plot them for you without making certain revelations that might mar the picture. Of course, there are no doubt, many theatre patrons who have read a majority of the American writer's works, especially the five portrayed. Because they are among his best-known yarns.

There is one thing about these films that combine a number of short stories rather than a single theme, and that is there is usually among them one that will appeal to the tastes of nearly all. Personally, I thought the stories of turn-of-the-century America were with one exception—extremely well-produced, and a credit to 20th Century Fox and Hollywood. The only short of the five I would quarrel with was "The Ransom of Red Chief," a comedy starring Fred Allen and Oscar Levant. As written by O. Henry this was a good sound and funny tale. But I got rather tired of Mr. Fred Allen on the screen and certainly I thought tough-faced Mr. Oscar Levant was laughing more at their own wit than an audience ever would.

However, this was more than made up for by the grand acting of veteran Charles Laughton in "The Cop and the Anthem." This was Laughton at his best. Co-starred with David Wayne as a couple of bums, Soapy and Horace, this playlet caught O. Henry as he meant to be both funny and sad.

Laughton as Soapy, the courteous and literary hobo who strove to go to jail for the winter months where he would be looked after, warm, comfortable and well-fed will be long remembered. Although Marilyn Monroe is in this, one wonders at the actress's reputation that she gets such a build up for little more than a "walk-on" part.

Also excellent was possibly O. Henry's most famous story, "The Gift of the Magi," a gentle love story that tells of a young married couple buying presents for one another, at great personal sacrifice. He had to sell his prize watch while she had to sell her hair which he loved so well.

Another story, "The Last

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Flogging Bill Introduced in U.K. House by Tories

LONDON (AP)—A bill to reintroduce flogging of British criminals in an effort to check crimes of violence was made public today.

The bill, introduced in Parliament by 10 Conservatives, calls for the private whipping with a birch rod of men convicted of crimes of physical violence.

It amends the 1948 criminal justice bill, which banned flogging for all except grave offences against prison discipline. The amendment, due for a second reading in the House of Commons Feb. 13, still forbids the use of the cat-o-nine-tails—a leather-thonged whip.

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A psychological drama, "Murder Without Crime," will be the next offering of the York Theatre Company.

The play, written by J. Lee Thompson, will go on the York playbill Monday and will stay for a week. It concerns the efforts of one man to drive another to insanity by making him think he is guilty of murder. The play calls for only four players.

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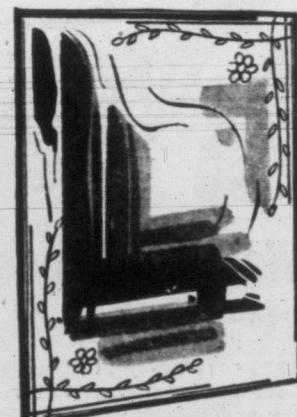
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## FINAL BULLETINS

### Egyptian Political Parties Banned

CAIRO (UPI)—Egyptian Premier General Mohammed Naguib (Nah-Gueb), has dissolved all political parties in his nation. He said the ban will last for three years.

### 21 Yugoslavs Die in Explosion

BELGRADE (Reuters)—An explosion near Sarajevo today killed 21 Yugoslavs.

Another 50 persons were injured by the blast. Sarajevo is in the state of Bosnia.

A commission headed for the spot immediately to look into the cause of the disaster.

It was in Sarajevo that Archduke Francis Ferdinand of Austria was killed in 1914 touching off the First World War.

### Claxton III, Ordered Home

OTTAWA (CP)—Defense Minister Claxton has been forced by an infected throat to leave the Commons during the hottest defense debate in some years, the one over the Currie Report.

His doctor has confined him to home until his condition is better. His temperature was more than 100 today but his condition was not regarded as serious.

### Hospital Engineers Vote Strike

NORTH VANCOUVER (CP)—Stationary engineers in North Vancouver General Hospital Thursday voted in favor of strike action to back up their demands for a new wages and hours of work agreement.

No date was set for the possible walkout which would cut off sterilization, hot water and heating facilities.

### 4,000 Youngsters Back to School

VANCOUVER (CP)—A three-day cold snap in the Fraser Valley ended today and more than 4,000 school children returned to their classrooms.

Schools were closed Wednesday when buses were unable to negotiate the ice-coated roads.

A 20-mile-an-hour speed limit imposed by RCMP on all highways in the valley was lifted.

To the north, in the Fraser Canyon, there was some let-up in blizzard conditions which have blocked road traffic for almost a week.

### Howe Received by Juan Peron

BUENOS AIRES (Reuters)—C. D. Howe, Canada's production minister, heading a goodwill trade mission to various Latin-American countries, was received today by President Juan Peron.

Accompanied by members of his mission and by the Canadian ambassador, Maj. Gen. Leo LaFleche, he spent 35 minutes with the president at Government House.

## Police Work On Stanley Park Mystery

### No 'Missing' Report to Police

VANCOUVER (CP)—The "Babes in the Woods" who died in Vancouver's Stanley Park were both boys, police scientists reported today.

The skeletons of the two children were discovered Thursday by a forester.

It was also reported by the police science department the children had died three years ago. Layers of leaves, earth and pollen which lay atop the bones revealed the time of death.

At first it was believed they were brother and sister, but now it is thought they may have been brothers. One child was believed to be eight years old or less, the other a little younger.

### MAY BE MURDER

It may be a case of murder, police reported, but other theories were considered. They may have gone to the park to cut Christmas trees, lay down to sleep and frozen to death in the bitter winter of three years ago. They may have become lost and, exhausted, lay down and died within 100 yards of safety. The skeletons were found close to the main drive of the 1,000-acre, heavily-wooded park.

Police, however, have not ruled out the theory of foul play. The children could have been slain by a sex pervert.

A small, rust-coated hatchet was found close to the skeletons. Its handle was broken in two places.

Holes were found in the skulls. But investigators said they may have been made by rodents.

### FEW CLUES

Police have not been able to link the case with any of their unsolved missing persons cases. The children had never been reported missing from their homes.

Police have only a few clues to work on. There are a few fragments of clothing, a tin lunch box and the small hatchet.

The clothing was identical in many respects, leading to the belief that the two were brothers. Both children had crepe-soled shoes, one pair two inches longer than the other, and both wore aviator-style children's hats, the larger complete with goggles. Two identical belts were also found near the bones.

The paper lining in the little blue tin lunch box had degenerated to a pulpy mass, leaving little chance of identification.

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## Victoria Man CPR Confirms May Be Named Port Angeles As New Judge Ferry Service

VANCOUVER (CP)—Former attorney-general Gordon Wismer said today there was "absolutely no possibility" that he would be appointed to the B.C. Supreme Court Bench.

Mr. Wismer whose name has been mentioned as a likely candidate said there was no possibility of his appointment "at the present time."

Informed legal sources said it was understood the pending appointment would go to H. W. Davey, Q.C. former president of the Victoria Liberal Association.

### TRI-RUN TO STAY

He also emphasized that the Vancouver-Victoria-Seattle daily service would be continued. This was in reply to earlier outside reports and the CPR was discontinuing its "triangle" service after many years.

In addition to her Gulf Island run, the Elaine will provide service between Vancouver, Powell River and Blubber Bay on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. The ship will leave Vancouver on Sunday nights after its return from the Gulf Island circuit. This service is effective April 26 until Sept. 26.

The Princess Louise will re-enter Alaska service from Vancouver April 15 and every 10 days thereafter, on Wednesday or Saturday until Nov. 11.

He said a new dock was being built at Port Angeles and parking facilities will be provided there to handle heavy automobile traffic.

## RACE RESULTS

### SANTA ANITA

First Race—(Arcadio) \$3.20 \$2.00 \$2.20  
Jon McCoy (Arcadio) \$3.20 \$2.00 \$2.20  
Jury (Adams) \$3.20 \$2.00 \$2.20  
Reel Flame (Westrop) \$3.20 \$2.00 \$2.20  
Time, 1:13.4-5.

### FAIR GROUNDS

First Race—(Kaelin) \$21.60 \$17.80 \$2.40  
Cona's Hope (Kaelin) \$21.60 \$17.80 \$2.40  
Butch's Pride (Hardy) \$21.60 \$17.80 \$2.40  
Purity (Cox) \$21.60 \$17.80 \$2.40  
Time, 1:14.1-5.

Second Race—(Kaelin) \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.40  
Mason Jennings (Kaelin) \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.40  
Friend Frankie (Papay) \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.40  
Nicky-Nicky (Cox) \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.40  
Time, 1:14.1-5.

Third Race—(Kaelin) \$7.80 \$6.80 \$2.20  
Beautiful Jane (Kaelin) \$7.80 \$6.80 \$2.20  
Fashy Manner (Chia) \$7.80 \$6.80 \$2.20  
Tom A Bomb (Keeze) \$7.80 \$6.80 \$2.20  
Time, 1:13.4-5.

Fourth Race—(Kaelin) \$6.00 \$5.20 \$2.60  
Top-Dill (Gholst) \$6.00 \$5.20 \$2.60  
Chicago Lad (Hardy) \$6.00 \$5.20 \$2.60  
Rulers Model (Duhon) \$6.00 \$5.20 \$2.60  
Time, 1:12.2-4.

Fifth Race—(Kaelin) \$4.40 \$3.60 \$2.40  
Lumena (Zanelli) \$4.40 \$3.60 \$2.40  
Alexis (Shelly) \$4.40 \$3.60 \$2.40  
Time, 1:13.1-5.

Sixth Race—(Kaelin) \$22.20 \$18.00 \$2.40  
Guest Cup (Kaelin) \$22.20 \$18.00 \$2.40  
Roamunda II (Keeze) \$22.20 \$18.00 \$2.40  
Magnus (Shelly) \$22.20 \$18.00 \$2.40  
Time, 1:30.1-5.

Seventh Race—(Kaelin) \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.40  
A-Horstrader \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.40  
Indian Land \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.40  
Mark-Ye-Well \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.40  
Southampton \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.40  
Don Bedside \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.40  
Time, 1:12.1-5.

Eighth Race—(Kaelin) \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.40  
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Chairman  
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"Briefly, it is admitted that the amount of \$800,000 would probably represent the loans which Coast Breweries have guaranteed on behalf of hotels and beer parlors throughout B.C."

"From this evidence, given under oath, it is clearly demonstrated that the local brewers exercise absolute control over numerous retail outlets."

The report then listed 62 hotels which have received loans from breweries ranging as high as \$60,000.

"There is reason to believe that the financial interest of the brewer or distiller in a license has played no small part during many years past in the phenomenal prices at which these licenses have changed hands."

"A license ought to have no asset value. It is a permit by the government to engage in a certain prescribed type of business. Any advantages and benefits resulting purely from the monopolistic character of the business should accrue to the membership and improvement."

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## Commission Wants Overhaul of Clubs

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By GORDON FORBES  
Times Legislative Reporter

A "drinks-by-the-glass" plan for British Columbia operated largely on the theory of making food available with liquor is the proposal of the three-man Royal Commission headed by Hon. H. H. Stevens, P.C.

The commission's official report of nearly 30,000 words was made public today by Premier W. A. C. Bennett and Attorney-General Robert Bonner. The investigation was made to determine how to carry out the plebiscite of last June when British Columbians voted in favor of the change.

Flatly rejecting the idea of lush cocktail bars on every corner, the commission recommends that hard liquor by the glass be sold with meals in hotels that serve the traveling public, in a certain class of restaurant, in night clubs and cabarets, in non-profit clubs and veterans' clubs which provide dining-room facilities, and on boats and trains.

The only lounge rooms allowed would be in hotels doing nearly all their business in transient trade, on steamships and in the membership clubs.

At the same time the commission proposes a complete revamping of the beer parlors, turning them into public houses where people can have either beer or soft drinks and coffee, sandwiches and light foods, and can enjoy music with their beer.

The system envisaged by the report is one in which a man could take his whole family into the public house, let his wife have a cup of coffee, and the children drink pop while he has a glass of beer. This is done by allowing minors into drinking places with their parents or guardians, although they cannot be served liquor.

Instead, it has formulated a system of carefully controlled liquor outlets in districts desiring them, always having in mind that food aids moderation.

B.C. would not have a "bar-on-every-corner" atmosphere. A rigid inspection system for licensed premises is envisioned by the commission, providing stiff penalties for infractions of any new liquor legislation enacted.

The commission has designed a system of distribution it hopes will meet the justifiable demands of the moderate user, and will at the same time protect immoderate individuals and society generally from the many undesirable and often evil effects of excessive use.

When acted upon by the Legislature next month, it will be the first major change in B.C.'s liquor laws in more than 30 years.

The commission has rejected the wide-open type of liquor distribution system, prevalent in

some parts of the United States.

Realizing even relatively free access to alcoholic beverages creates great problems, the commission has recommended extensive revision of the existing provincial program of alcohol education to all grades, establishment of an Alcohol Research Foundation, and a detention rehabilitation centre for habitual drunkards and known alcoholics.

The Stevens Report, a searching document containing recommendations which will have their impact in high places, sets up two classes of hotels for the purpose of sale of liquor by the glass.

Into Class A would fall hotels doing 80 per cent or more transient business. These hotels, when granted licenses, would be allowed to serve drinks by the glass with meals, in special "beverage lounges" (the report makes no reference to "cocktail lounges"), and in guest rooms.

Class B hotels would be those doing 50 per cent or more transient business. These structures would have the same privileges as Class A hotels, but wouldn't be permitted beverage lounges.

Each class of hotel would be permitted separate beer parlors or "public houses" as they will be called under the new system.

Room service by the glass would be allowed in both types of hotels to transient guests only, but no sales by the bottle, except beer.

Later, however, the report proposes that "public house license" and proprietary clubs "should take the place of the presently designated beer parlor."

This could mean that the proprietary clubs would be turned into the new type of beer parlors. However, there was no clarifying explanation on this point.

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## OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

### FAIR GROUNDS

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:  
Little Elk 100  
Champs Dream 110  
Pop's Pal 105  
Teeba Bel 110  
Top Stocking 107  
Old Frank 110  
Cubborn 105  
Tenn-Tommy 110

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:  
What a Peach 106  
Rippling Dream 110  
Gold Necklace 107  
Dehmode 107  
Conquest 107  
Pad Lock 121  
Ansonia 105  
Box Trade 110

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:  
Royal Bones 110  
Colonel Seven 113  
Wild Teddy 102  
Vandalism 107  
Wright's Wrong 110

FOURTH RACE—Two furlongs:  
A-Perline 118  
Little Don G 113  
A-Exential 112  
Atascosa 118  
Hera's Collins 114

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:  
Rutherford 108  
Albee 106  
Little Lobo 106  
Regal Stone 110  
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Carrion 108

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:  
Mr. Blue Sky 116  
Wienham 116  
Windwhisper 114  
Star K 116

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth:  
Happy Go Lucky 122  
Thelma Berger 108  
Bay Bloom 105  
Poultreque 114  
A-Jones Brook 106

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth:  
Havving Post 112  
Miss Mary Kay 102  
Mr. B 115  
Miss Black 116  
Selling Home 107

NINTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth:  
Grish Cousins 107  
Reunion 115  
Beau Nash 121  
French Rose 107  
Staggering 107  
Kitty Whiskers 107

Tenth RACE—Mile and a sixteenth:  
Taus 112

### SANTA ANITA

FIRST RACE—One mile and one sixteenth:  
Urbino 106  
Dawn Breaker 106  
Veril Mac 109  
Dark Diana 106  
Peak Odgers 114  
English Miss 109  
Rudyard 117  
Rano 111

SECOND RACE—One mile and one sixteenth:  
Gay Rat 103  
Governors 103  
Speed Count 114  
G. I. Mail 117  
Jack Snapper 117  
Four By Five 120  
Vigorous 119

THIRD RACE—One mile and one sixteenth:  
Mr. Platte 114  
Black Jack 115  
Royal Star 114  
Shedon 114  
Shedon 114

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs:  
Quinn Row 119  
American Fleet 111  
President 119  
Elsie Paul 103  
Avon 112  
Mercury 113  
Idol M 102

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:  
Aibi Man 100  
Blue Headline 121  
Ruth Lady 104  
Bridle Riders 109  
Pat 113  
Vigorous 119

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Not many folk kin afford t' be pig-headed—not at prices for pork.

M' Uncle Zeke's wife sez she hopes they soon settle on a chairman fer theet social warfare committee.

Thing I like best about them new rules fer drinkin' is thet at last it looks like they're goin' t' let y' feel y'e're entitled t' one.

Best bet—Windwhisper.



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The provincial government today named four members to the new part-time Labor Relations Board.

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Col. D'Arcy Baldwin will continue as chairman.

The new board members will be sworn in Monday morning in Labor Minister Lyde Wicks' office.

The first meeting of the board will follow immediately.

### Philip May Be Called 'Prince Of Commonwealth'

LONDON (CP) — The Duke of Edinburgh may shortly be named Prince of the Commonwealth, it was suggested today.

The News Chronicle said in a front-page story that some such change is expected soon, in view of the Coronation in June.

Queen Victoria's husband, Albert, was given the title Prince Consort 17 years after their marriage. In the case of the Duke of Edinburgh some writers forecast a title more in keeping with the new concept of the Commonwealth.

### Marciano, Walcott Delay Turned Down

NEW YORK (BUP) — Heavyweight champion Rocky Marciano has been told he must defend on or before April 10 despite an objection by challenger Joe Walcott.

This latest ruling means the fight cannot be postponed until June as was suggested today by representatives of both fighters.

### 'CLUB OR PUB, BUB?'

### Mr. Malt Explains to Mr. Hops

Mr. Hops today explained to Mr. Malt the recommendations of British Columbia's liquor inquiry commission in such manner:

Mr. Malt: "Now let's suppose I want a drink under this new system. Where do I go?"

Mr. Hops: "Well, what kind of drink?"

Mr. Malt: "Gin."

Mr. Hops: "You can go to a

beverage lounge in that class

A hotel or . . .

Mr. Malt: "Class A hotel?"

Mr. Hops: "That's one with a beverage lounge. Class Bs just have beer parlors."

Mr. Malt: "Okay. Now where else?"

Mr. Hops: "A restaurant, a night club, a private club . . ."

Mr. Malt: "What's that?"

Mr. Hops: "Well, you can be

### COMMISSION MEMBERS



HON. H. H. STEVENS  
... chairman.



DEAN CECIL SWANSON



GEORGE HOME

### Tear Gas Prevents Kojie Island Riot

PUSAN, Korea (AP) — South Korean guards using tear gas quickly broke up a demonstration by 74 North Korean Communist prisoners of war on Kojie Island Tuesday, the Allied POW command said today. There were no injuries, the army said.

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The commission noted that this practice is prohibited in many states in the United States and some provinces in Canada, and says it should be prohibited in B.C.

It recommended that anybody connected with a brewery or distillery must divorce himself from all financial and material interest in any retail outlets within one year of the enactment of new liquor legislation in B.C.

The commission said the practice is not in the public interest. "In B.C. this financial interest of brewers and distillers in the retail outlets for beer is not only prevalent, but it is also profitable."

Where such loans have been made, it invariably follows that the licensee so benefited sells only the draught beer of his benefactor.

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- "Proprietary" clubs—those operated for private profit—not to have licenses, but membership clubs and veterans' clubs to be allowed licenses if they provide dining service.
- All existing beer parlor licenses and proprietary club licenses to be cancelled within six months of enactment of the new legislation, and fresh applications made under the new system.
- Present government Liquor Act should be completely scrapped and new legislation written.
- Three-man liquor commission to replace present one-man board.
- Sale of cartoned beer or bottled liquor to be banned in all licensed retail premises and made only from government liquor stores which would be retained.
- A new rigid inspection system for licensed premises to be set up, and holders of licenses to be held responsible for infractions of the liquor law.
- Minors—under 21—to be allowed into drinking places if with parent or guardian but not to be served with drink.
- Importation of foreign wines should be allowed.
- Nobody connected with the provincial public service to have any interest in any part of the liquor industry.
- One liquor store each in Victoria and Vancouver to remain open until 11 p.m. Monday through to Saturday.
- Brewers and distillers to have no interest or connection with retail outlets, and a government audit to be made of any existing connection.
- Liquor Act to order that no retail license is to have any "asset value" to the holder.
- A rehabilitation program for habitual drunkards and alcoholics proposed, along with establishment of an Alcohol Research Foundation at University of British Columbia and extension of the present education program on alcohol, all costs to be paid out of government liquor profits.
- Further investigation into the liquor industry recommended, particularly on alleged excessive profits and on treatment of alcoholics.

### Liquor by Glass Likely In Major Victoria Hotels

Victorians apparently won't be permitted beer parlors, or public houses, as they will be called.

The formula on clubs appears to be that such establishments as the Pacific Club, Union Club, veterans' clubs, and fraternal organizations would be permitted to continue if they have adequate lounges and dining room facilities. These are membership clubs.

Although the report is not clear on this phase of its recommendations, it seems the commission intended that areas which now have liquor outlets (Victoria has liquor stores) will not be required to vote. Areas which now have no outlets will conduct plebiscite votes only when objections are raised.

If this is the correct interpretation of the recommendation, then the Empress Hotel, Dominion Hotel, Strathcona Hotel, Douglas Hotel, and possibly others, may get licenses to sell liquor by the glass. They also



Not many folk kin afford t' be pig-headed—not at prices for pork.

Mr. Uncle Zeke's wife sez she hopes they soon settle on a chairman fer the social warfare committee.

Thing I like best about them new rules fer drinkin' is that at last it looks like they're goin' t' let y' feel y're entitled t' one.

### Overhaul of Clubs, Cabaret Drinks In Commission Plan

By GORDON FORBES  
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A "drinks-by-the-glass" plan for British Columbia operated largely on the theory of making food available with liquor is the proposal of the three-man Royal Commission headed by Hon. H. H. Stevens, Q.C.

The commission's official report of nearly 30,000 words was made public today by Premier W. A. C. Bennett and Attorney-General Robert Bonner. The investigation was made to determine how to carry out the plebiscite of last June when British Columbians voted in favor of the change.

Flatly rejecting the idea of lush cocktail bars on every corner, the commission recommends that hard liquor by the glass be sold with meals in hotels that serve the traveling public, in a certain class of restaurant, in night clubs and cabarets, in non-profit clubs and veterans' clubs which provide dining-room facilities, and on boats and trains.

The only lounge rooms allowed would be in hotels doing nearly all their business in transient trade, on steamships and in the membership clubs.

At the same time the commission proposes a complete re-vamping of the beer parlors, turning them into public houses where people can have either beer or soft drinks and coffee, sandwiches and light foods, and can enjoy music with their beer.

The system envisaged by the report is one in which a man could take his whole family into the public house; let his wife have a cup of coffee, and the children drink pop while he has a glass of beer. This is done by allowing minors into drinking places with their parents or guardians, although they cannot be served liquor.

Some parts of the United States.

Instead, it has formulated a system of carefully controlled liquor outlets in districts desiring them, always having in mind that food aids moderation.

B.C. would not have a "bar-on-every-corner" atmosphere. A rigid inspection system for licensed premises is envisioned by the commission, providing stiff penalties for infractions of any new liquor legislation enacted.

The commission has designed a system of distribution it hopes will meet the justifiable demands of the moderate user, and will at the same time protect immoderate individuals and society generally from the many undesirable and often evil effects of excessive use.

allowed to serve drinks by the glass with meals, in special "beverage lounges" (the report makes no reference to "cocktail lounges"), and in guest rooms.

Class B hotels would be those doing 50 per cent or more transient business. These structures would have the same privileges as Class A hotels, but wouldn't be permitted beverage lounges.

Each class of hotel would be permitted separate beer parlors or "public houses" as they will be called under the new system.

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